

# Double quantization on coadjoint representations of simple Lie groups and its orbits

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## Abstract

Let  $M$  be a manifold with an action of a Lie group  $G$ ,  $\mathcal{A}$  the function algebra on  $M$ . The first problem we consider is to construct a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization,  $\mathcal{A}_h$ , of  $\mathcal{A}$ , where  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  is a quantum group corresponding to  $G$ .

Let  $s$  be a  $G$  invariant Poisson bracket on  $M$ . The second problem we consider is to construct a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant two parameter (double) quantization,  $\mathcal{A}_{t,h}$ , of  $\mathcal{A}$  such that  $\mathcal{A}_{t,0}$  is a  $G$  invariant quantization of  $s$ . We call  $\mathcal{A}_{t,h}$  a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of the Poisson bracket  $s$ .

In the paper we study the cases when  $G$  is a simple Lie group and  $M$  is the coadjoint representation  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  of  $G$  or a semisimple orbit in this representation.

First of all, we describe Poisson brackets and pairs of Poisson brackets related to  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantizations for arbitrary algebras. After that we construct a two parameter quantization on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  for  $\mathfrak{g} = sl(n)$  and  $s$  the Lie bracket and show that such a quantization does not exist for other simple Lie algebras. As the function algebra on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  we take the symmetric algebra  $S\mathfrak{g}$ . In  $sl(n)$  case, we also consider the problem of restriction of the family  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  on orbits. In particular, we describe explicitly the Poisson bracket along the parameter  $h$  of this family, which turns out to be quadratic, and prove that it can be restricted on each orbit in  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ . We prove also that the family  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  can be restricted on the maximal semisimple orbits.

For  $M$  a manifold isomorphic to a semisimple orbit in  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ , we describe the variety of all brackets related to the one parameter quantization. Actually, it is a variety making  $M$  into a Poisson manifold with a Poisson action of  $G$ . It turns out that not all such brackets and not all orbits admit a double quantization with  $s$  the Kirillov-Kostant-Souriau bracket. We classify the orbits and pairs of brackets admitting a double quantization and construct such a quantization for almost all admissible paires.

## 1 Introduction

Quantum groups can be considered as symmetry objects of certain “quantum spaces” described by noncommutative algebra of functions. This point of view was developed, for example, in [RTF] and [Ma]. Here we study the inverse problem: given the quantum group corresponding to a Lie group  $G$ , we want to define a “quantum space” corresponding to a given classical  $G$ -manifold.

Let  $M$  be a manifold with an action of a Lie group  $G$ ,  $\mathfrak{g}$  the Lie algebra of  $G$ , and  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  the quantized universal enveloping algebra. Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be the sheaf of function algebras on  $M$ . It may be a sheaf of smooth, analytic, or algebraic functions. For shortness, we simply call  $\mathcal{A}$  a function algebra. The algebra  $\mathcal{A}$  is of course invariant under the induced action of the bialgebra  $U(\mathfrak{g})$ .

We consider the following two general problems.

**The first problem.** Does there exist a deformation quantization,  $\mathcal{A}_h$ , of  $\mathcal{A}$ , which is invariant under the action of the quantum group  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ ?

**The second problem.** Suppose  $\mathcal{A}_t$  is a  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of  $\mathcal{A}$ . Does there exist a two parameter quantization,  $\mathcal{A}_{t,h}$ , of  $\mathcal{A}$  such that  $\mathcal{A}_{t,0} = \mathcal{A}_t$ , which is invariant under  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ ?

In this paper, we study the first and the second problems for two cases. The first case, when  $M$  is the coadjoint representation of a simple Lie group. The second case, when  $M$  is a semisimple orbit in this representation. This paper is motivated by papers [Do2] and [DGS] where we started to study these problems. In this paper we develop results of [Do2] and [DGS] and present some additional results.

The paper is organized as follows.

In Section 2 we recall some facts about quantum groups and related categories, which are essential for a strict formulation of our problems and for our approach to  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of algebras. In particular, we use the Drinfeld category with non-trivial associativity constraint determined by an invariant element  $\Phi_h \in U(\mathfrak{g})^{\otimes 3}[[h]]$  and show that the problem of  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization is equivalent to the problem of deforming the function algebra in such a way that the deformed algebra to be  $G$  invariant and  $\Phi_h$  associative (see Subsection 2.3).

Subsection 2.4 is very important for the paper. In this subsection we give, for all commutative algebras, a description of Poisson brackets related to one and two parameter  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantizations. We show the following. If  $\mathcal{A}_h$  is a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization, the corresponding Poisson bracket,  $p$ , on  $M$  has to be a difference of two brackets,  $p = f - r_M$ . Here  $r_M$  is the so called  $r$ -matrix bracket obtained from a classical  $r$ -matrix  $r \in \wedge^2 \mathfrak{g}$  with the help of the action morphism  $\mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \text{Vect}(M)$ . So, the Schouten bracket  $[[r_M, r_M]]$  is equal to the image  $\varphi_M$  of the invariant element  $\varphi \in \wedge^3 \mathfrak{g}$ . The bracket  $f$  is  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant and such that  $[[f, f]] = -\varphi_M$ . Of course, any invariant bracket,  $f$ , is compatible with  $r_M$ , so that  $[[p, p]] = 0$ .

We see that for existence of the family  $\mathcal{A}_h$  one needs existence of an invariant bracket  $f$  on  $M$  such that

$$[[f, f]] = -\varphi_M. \quad (1.1)$$

Note that the manifold  $M$  endowed with the bracket  $p = f - r_M$  is a Poisson manifold with a Poisson action of  $G$ , where  $G$  is considered to be the Poisson-Lie group with Poisson structure defined by  $r$ . We shall not use this fact in the paper.

Similarly, given a two parameter quantization,  $\mathcal{A}_{t,h}$ , a pair of compatible Poisson brackets is determined. These brackets are: the bracket  $p = f - r_M$  considered above and a  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant Poisson bracket,  $s$ , the initial term of the  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization  $\mathcal{A}_t$ . We may perceive the family  $\mathcal{A}_{t,h}$  as a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of the Poisson bracket  $s$ .

We assume that  $s$  is given in advance and determined, for example, by a  $G$  invariant symplectic structure on  $M$ . From the compatibility of  $p$  and  $s$  (this means  $\llbracket p, s \rrbracket = 0$ ) follows that

$$\llbracket f, s \rrbracket = 0. \quad (1.2)$$

So, for existence of the family  $\mathcal{A}_{t,h}$  one needs existence of an invariant bracket  $f$  on  $M$  such the both equations (1.1) and (1.2) hold.

Thus, our problems divide into two steps. The first step is looking for invariant brackets  $f$  on  $M$  satisfying either (1.1) (in case of the first problem) or both (1.1) and (1.2) (in case of the second problem). The second step is quantizing these brackets.

In Section 3 we consider the one and two parameter quantization on  $M = \mathfrak{g}^*$ , the coadjoint representation of a simple Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$ . As a function algebra on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ , we take the symmetric algebra  $S\mathfrak{g}$ . It turns out that the cases  $\mathfrak{g} = sl(n)$  and  $\mathfrak{g} \neq sl(n)$  are quite different.

We prove that for  $\mathfrak{g} \neq sl(n)$  the two parameter family which is a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of the Lie bracket on  $S\mathfrak{g}$  does not exist. Moreover, as a conjecture we state that in this case even a one parameter  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of  $S\mathfrak{g}$  does not exist.

In the case  $\mathfrak{g} = sl(n)$ , the two parameter quantization of  $S\mathfrak{g}$  exists. Moreover, the picture looks like in the classical case. Recall that in the classical case, the natural one parameter  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of  $S\mathfrak{g}$  is given by the family  $(S\mathfrak{g})_t = T(\mathfrak{g})[t]/J_t$ , where  $J_t$  is the ideal generated by the elements of the form  $x \otimes y - \sigma(x \otimes y) - t[x, y]$ ,  $x, y \in \mathfrak{g}$ ,  $\sigma$  is the permutation. By the PBW theorem,  $(S\mathfrak{g})_t$  is a free module over  $\mathbb{C}[t]$ . We have  $(S\mathfrak{g})_0 = S\mathfrak{g}$ , so this family of quadratic-linear algebras gives a  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of  $S\mathfrak{g}$ . It is obvious that the Poisson bracket,  $s$ , related to this quantization is the Lie bracket on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ .

We show that for  $\mathfrak{g} = sl(n)$  this picture can be extended to the quantum case. Namely, there exist deformations,  $\sigma_h$  and  $[\cdot, \cdot]_h$ , of both the mappings  $\sigma$  and  $[\cdot, \cdot]$  such that the two parameter family of algebras  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h} = T(\mathfrak{g})[[h]][t]/J_{t,h}$ , where  $J_{t,h}$  is the ideal generated by the elements of the form  $x \otimes y - \sigma_h(x \otimes y) - t[x, y]_h$ ,  $x, y \in \mathfrak{g}$ , gives a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of the Lie bracket  $s$  on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ . In this case, the corresponding bracket  $f$  from (1.2) is a quadratic bracket which is, up to a factor, a unique nontrivial invariant map  $\wedge^2 \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow S^2 \mathfrak{g}$ .

Taking  $t = 0$  we obtain the family  $(S\mathfrak{g})_h$  which is a quadratic algebra over  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$ . This algebra can be called the quantum symmetric algebra (or quantum polynomial algebra on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ ). We show (Subsection 3.4) that  $(S\mathfrak{g})_h$  can be included in the deformed graded differential algebra (deformed de Rham complex). In Subsection 3.5 we prove that the family  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  can be restricted on the maximal semisimple orbits in  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  to give a two parameter quantization on these orbits.

In Section 4 we study the problems of one and two parameter quantization on semisimple orbits in  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  for all simple Lie algebras  $\mathfrak{g}$ . First of all, we classify all the brackets  $f$  satisfying (1.1) and both (1.1) and (1.2) for  $s$  being the Kirillov- $\mathcal{A}_{t,h}$  (KKS) bracket on the orbit. After that, we construct quantizations of these brackets.

Let  $M$  be a semisimple orbit. In Subsection 4.1 we prove that the brackets  $f$  satisfying (1.1) form a  $\dim H^2(M)$ -dimensional variety. We give a description of this variety and prove (in Subsection 4.3) that almost all these brackets can be quantized. So, we obtain for  $M$  a  $\dim H^2(M)$  parameter family of non-equivalent one parameter quantizations.

Note that in [DG2] we have built one of these quantizations, the quantization of the so called Sklyanin-Drinfeld Poisson bracket.

It turns out that brackets  $f$  satisfying (1.1) and (1.2) exist not for all orbits. We call an orbit  $M$  *good* if there exists a bracket  $f$  satisfying (1.1) and (1.2) for the Kirillov-Kostant-Souriau (KKS) bracket  $s$ .

In Subsection 4.1 we give the following classification of the semisimple good orbits for all simple  $\mathfrak{g}$ , [DGS].

In the case  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{sl}(n)$  all semisimple orbits are good. (Actually we prove that in this case all orbits are good.)

For  $\mathfrak{g} \neq \mathfrak{sl}(n)$  all symmetric orbits (which are symmetric spaces) are good. In this case  $\varphi_M = 0$ , so  $r_M$  itself is a Poisson bracket compatible with  $s$ .

Only in the case  $\mathfrak{g}$  of type  $D_n$  and  $E_6$  (except of  $A_n$ ) there are good orbits different from the symmetric ones. For such orbits  $\varphi_M \neq 0$ .

We show that brackets  $f$  on a good orbit satisfying (1.1) and (1.2), form a one parameter family.

In Subsection 4.2 we consider cohomologies of an invariant complex with the differential given by the Schouten bracket with the bivector  $f$ . These cohomologies are needed for our construction of quantization.

In Subsection 4.3 we construct one and two parameter quantizations for semisimple orbits. According to our approach, as a first step we construct a  $G$  invariant  $\Phi_h$  associative quantization, i.e., a quantization in the Drinfeld category with non-trivial associativity constraint given by  $\Phi_h$ . Note that the bracket  $f$  from (1.1) can be considered as a “Poisson bracket” in that category. As a second step, we make a passage to the category with trivial associativity to obtain the associative  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization. We applied this method earlier for quantizing the function algebra on the highest weight orbits in irreducible representations of  $G$ , the algebra of sections of linear vector bundles over flag manifolds, and the function algebra on symmetric spaces, [DGM], [DG1], [DS1].

I put in the text some questions which naturally appeared by exposition. They are open (for me) and seem to be important.

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## 2 Preliminaries

### 2.1 Quantum groups

We shall consider quantum groups in sense of Drinfeld, [Dr2], as deformed universal enveloping algebras. If  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  is the universal enveloping algebra of a complex Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$ , then the quantum group (or quantized universal enveloping algebra) corresponding to  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  is a topological Hopf algebra,  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ , over  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$ , isomorphic to  $U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]]$  as a

topological  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$  module and such that  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})/hU_h(\mathfrak{g}) = U(\mathfrak{g})$  as a Hopf algebra over  $\mathbb{C}$ . In particular, the deformed comultiplication in  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  has the form

$$\Delta_h = \Delta + h\Delta_1 + o(h), \quad (2.1)$$

where  $\Delta$  is the comultiplication in the universal enveloping algebra  $U(\mathfrak{g})$ . One can prove, [Dr2], that  $\Delta_1 : U(\mathfrak{g}) \rightarrow U(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes U(\mathfrak{g})$  is such a map that  $\Delta_1 - \sigma\Delta_1 = \delta$  ( $\sigma$  is the usual permutation) being restricted on  $\mathfrak{g}$  gives a map  $\delta : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \wedge^2 \mathfrak{g}$  which is a 1-cocycle and defines the structure of a Lie coalgebra on  $\mathfrak{g}$  (the structure of a Lie algebra on the dual space  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ ). The pair  $(\mathfrak{g}, \delta)$  is considered as a quasiclassical limit of  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ .

In general, a pair  $(\mathfrak{g}, \delta)$ , where  $\mathfrak{g}$  is a Lie algebra and  $\delta$  is such a 1-cocycle, is called a Lie bialgebra. It is proven, [EK], that any Lie bialgebra  $(\mathfrak{g}, \delta)$  can be quantized, i.e., there exists a quantum group  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  such that the pair  $(\mathfrak{g}, \delta)$  is its quasiclassical limit.

A Lie bialgebra  $(\mathfrak{g}, \delta)$  is said to be a coboundary one if there exists an element  $r \in \wedge^2$ , called the classical  $r$ -matrix, such that  $\delta(x) = [r, \Delta(x)]$  for  $x \in \mathfrak{g}$ . Since  $\delta$  defines a Lie coalgebra structure,  $r$  has to satisfy the so-called classical Yang-Baxter equation which can be written in the form

$$[[r, r]] = \varphi, \quad (2.2)$$

where  $[[\cdot, \cdot]]$  stands for the Schouten bracket and  $\varphi \in \wedge^3 \mathfrak{g}$  is an invariant element. We denote the coboundary Lie bialgebra by  $(\mathfrak{g}, r)$ .

In case  $\mathfrak{g}$  is a simple Lie algebra, the most known is the Sklyanin-Drinfeld  $r$ -matrix:

$$r = \sum_{\alpha} X_{\alpha} \wedge X_{-\alpha},$$

where the sum runs over all positive roots; the root vectors  $X_{\alpha}$  are chosen in such a way that  $(X_{\alpha}, X_{-\alpha}) = 1$  for the Killing form  $(\cdot, \cdot)$ . This is the only  $r$ -matrix of weight zero, [SS], and its quantization is the Drinfeld-Jimbo quantum group. A classification of all  $r$ -matrices for simple Lie algebras was given in [BD].

We are interested in the case when  $\mathfrak{g}$  is a semisimple finite dimensional Lie algebra. In this case, from results of Drinfeld and Etingof and Kazhdan one can derive the following

**Proposition 2.1.** *Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be a semisimple Lie algebra. Then*

- a) any Lie bialgebra  $(\mathfrak{g}, \delta)$  is a coboundary one;*
- b) the quantization,  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ , of any coboundary Lie bialgebra  $(\mathfrak{g}, r)$  exists and is isomorphic to  $U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]]$  as a topological  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$  algebra;*
- c) the comultiplication in  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  has the form*

$$\Delta_h(x) = F_h \Delta(x) F_h^{-1}, \quad x \in U(\mathfrak{g}), \quad (2.3)$$

where  $F_h \in U(\mathfrak{g})^{\otimes 2}[[h]]$  and can be chosen in the form

$$F_h = 1 \otimes 1 + \frac{h}{2} r + o(h). \quad (2.4)$$

*Proof.* a) follows from the fact that  $H^1(\mathfrak{g}, \wedge^2 \mathfrak{g}) = 0$ . From the fact that  $H^2(\mathfrak{g}, U(\mathfrak{g})) = 0$  follows that  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  does not admit any nontrivial deformations as an algebra, (see [Dr1]), which proves b). From the fact that  $H^1(\mathfrak{g}, U(\mathfrak{g})^{\otimes 2}) = 0$  follows that any deformation of the algebra morphism  $\Delta : U(\mathfrak{g}) \rightarrow U(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes U(\mathfrak{g})$  appears as a conjugation of  $\Delta$ . In particular, the comultiplication in  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  looks like (2.3) with some  $F_h$  such that  $F_0 = 1 \otimes 1$ .

From the coassociativity of  $\Delta_h$  follows that  $F_h$  satisfies the equation

$$(F_h \otimes 1) \cdot (\Delta \otimes id)(F_h) = (1 \otimes F_h) \cdot (id \otimes \Delta)(F_h) \cdot \Phi_h \quad (2.5)$$

for some invariant element  $\Phi_h \in U(\mathfrak{g})^{\otimes 3}[[h]]$ .

The element  $F_h$  satisfying (2.3) and (2.4) can be obtained by correction of some  $F_h$  only obeying (2.3), [Dr2]. This procedure also makes use simple cohomological arguments and essentially (2.5). This proves c).  $\square$

From (2.5) follows that if  $F_h$  has the form (2.4), then the coefficient by  $h$  for  $\Phi_h$  vanishes. Moreover, as a coefficient by  $h^2$  one can take the element  $\varphi$  from (2.2), i.e.,

$$\Phi_h = 1 \otimes 1 \otimes 1 + h^2 \varphi + o(h^2). \quad (2.6)$$

In addition, from (2.5) follows that  $\Phi_h$  satisfies the pentagon identity

$$(id^{\otimes 2} \otimes \Delta)(\Phi_h) \cdot (\Delta \otimes id^{\otimes 2})(\Phi_h) = (1 \otimes \Phi_h) \cdot (id \otimes \Delta \otimes id)(\Phi_h) \cdot (\Phi_h \otimes 1). \quad (2.7)$$

**Question 2.1.** Let  $(\mathfrak{g}, r)$  be a coboundary Lie bialgebra. Does there exist a quantization of it,  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ , such that  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  is isomorphic to  $U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]]$  as a topological  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$  algebra and the comultiplication has the form (2.3)?

From [Dr4] follows that if  $\llbracket r, r \rrbracket = 0$ , the answer to this question is positive.

## 2.2 Categorical interpretation

It is known that the elements constructed above have a nice categorical interpretation. First, recall some facts about the Drinfeld algebras and the monoidal categories determined by them.

Let  $A$  be a commutative algebra with unit,  $B$  a unitary  $A$ -algebra. The category of representations of  $B$  in  $A$ -modules, i.e. the category of  $B$ -modules, will be a monoidal category if the algebra  $B$  is equipped with an algebra morphism,  $\Delta : B \rightarrow B \otimes_A B$ , called comultiplication, and an invertible element  $\Phi \in B^{\otimes 3}$  such that  $\Delta$  and  $\Phi$  satisfy the conditions (see [Dr2])

$$(id \otimes \Delta)(\Delta(b)) \cdot \Phi = \Phi \cdot (\Delta \otimes id)(\Delta(b)), \quad b \in B, \quad (2.8)$$

$$(id^{\otimes 2} \otimes \Delta)(\Phi) \cdot (\Delta \otimes id^{\otimes 2})(\Phi) = (1 \otimes \Phi) \cdot (id \otimes \Delta \otimes id)(\Phi) \cdot (\Phi \otimes 1). \quad (2.9)$$

Define a tensor product functor for the category of  $B$  modules  $\mathcal{C}$ , denoted  $\otimes_{\mathcal{C}}$  or simply  $\otimes$  when there can be no confusion, in the following way: given  $B$ -modules  $M, N$ ,  $M \otimes_{\mathcal{C}} N = M \otimes_A N$  as an  $A$ -module. The action of  $B$  is defined by

$$b(m \otimes n) = (\Delta b)(m \otimes n) = b_1 m \otimes b_2 n,$$

where  $\Delta b = b_1 \otimes b_2$  (we use the Sweedler convention of an implicit summation over an index). The element  $\Phi = \Phi_1 \otimes \Phi_2 \otimes \Phi_3$  defines the associativity constraint,

$$a_{M,N,P} : (M \otimes N) \otimes P \rightarrow M \otimes (N \otimes P), \quad a_{M,N,P}((m \otimes n) \otimes p) = \Phi_1 m \otimes (\Phi_2 n \otimes \Phi_3 p).$$

Again the summation in the expression for  $\Phi$  is understood. By virtue of (2.8)  $\Phi$  induces an isomorphism of  $B$ -modules, and by virtue of (2.9) the pentagon identity for monoidal categories holds. We call the triple  $(B, \Delta, \Phi)$  a Drinfeld algebra. The definition is somewhat non-standard in that we do not require the existence of an antipode. The category  $\mathcal{C}$  of  $B$ -modules for  $B$  a Drinfeld algebra becomes a monoidal category. When it becomes necessary to be more explicit we shall denote  $\mathcal{C}(B, \Delta, \Phi)$ .

Let  $(B, \Delta, \Phi)$  be a Drinfeld algebra and  $F \in B^{\otimes 2}$  an invertible element. Put

$$\tilde{\Delta}(b) = F \Delta(b) F^{-1}, \quad b \in B, \quad (2.10)$$

$$\tilde{\Phi} = (1 \otimes F) \cdot (id \otimes \Delta)(F) \cdot \Phi \cdot (\Delta \otimes id)(F^{-1}) \cdot (F \otimes 1)^{-1}. \quad (2.11)$$

Then  $\tilde{\Delta}$  and  $\tilde{\Phi}$  satisfy (2.8) and (2.9), therefore the triple  $(B, \tilde{\Delta}, \tilde{\Phi})$  also becomes a Drinfeld algebra. We say that it is obtained by twisting from  $(B, \Delta, \Phi)$ . It has an equivalent monoidal category of modules,  $\tilde{\mathcal{C}}(B, \tilde{\Delta}, \tilde{\Phi})$ . Note that the equivalent categories  $\mathcal{C}$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{C}}$  consist of the same objects as  $B$ -modules, and the tensor products of two objects are isomorphic as  $A$ -modules. The equivalence  $\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{C}}$  is given by the pair  $(Id, F)$ , where  $Id : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{C}}$  is the identity functor of the categories (considered without the monoidal structures, but only as categories of  $B$ -modules), and  $F : M \otimes_{\mathcal{C}} N \rightarrow M \otimes_{\tilde{\mathcal{C}}} N$  is defined by  $m \otimes n \mapsto F_1 m \otimes F_2 n$  where  $F_1 \otimes F_2 = F$ .

We are interested in the case when  $A = \mathbb{C}[[h]]$ ,  $B = U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]]$  where  $\mathfrak{g}$  is a complex semisimple Lie algebra. In this case, all tensor products over  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$  are completed in  $h$ -adic topology.

We have two nontrivial Drinfeld algebras. The first is  $(U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]], \Delta, \Phi_h)$ , with the usual comultiplication and  $\Phi_h$  from (2.5). The condition (2.8) means the invariantness of  $\Phi_h$ , while (2.9) coincides with (2.7). The second Drinfeld algebra is  $(U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]], \Delta_h, \mathbf{1})$ . It obtains by twisting of the first one by the element  $F_h$  from (2.3). The equation (2.11) follows from (2.5). The pair  $(Id, F_h)$  defines an equivalence between the corresponding monoidal categories  $\mathcal{C}(U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]], \Delta, \Phi_h)$  and  $\mathcal{C}(U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]], \Delta_h, \mathbf{1})$ . The last is the category of representations of the quantum group  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ .

It is clear that reduction modulo  $h$  defines a functor from either of these categories to the category of representations of  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  and the equivalence just described reduces to the identity modulo  $h$ . In fact, both categories are  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$ -linear extensions (or deformations) of the  $\mathbb{C}$ -linear category of representations of  $\mathfrak{g}$ . Ignoring the monoidal structure the extension is a trivial one, but the associator  $\Phi_h$  in the first case and the comultiplication  $\Delta_h$  in the second case make the extension non-trivial from the point of view of monoidal categories.

## 2.3 $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ invariant quantizations of algebras

Let  $(B, \Delta, \Phi)$  be a Drinfeld algebra. Assume  $\mathcal{A}$  is a  $B$ -module with a multiplication  $\mu : \mathcal{A} \otimes_A \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  which is a homomorphism of  $A$ -modules. We say that  $\mu$  is  $\Delta$  invariant

if

$$b\mu(x \otimes y) = \mu\Delta(b)(x \otimes y) \quad \text{for } b \in B, x, y \in \mathcal{A}, \quad (2.12)$$

and  $\mu$  is  $\Phi$  associative, if

$$\mu(\Phi_1 x \otimes \mu(\Phi_2 y \otimes \Phi_3 z)) = \mu(\mu(x \otimes y) \otimes z) \quad \text{for } x, y, z \in \mathcal{A}. \quad (2.13)$$

Note, that a  $B$ -module  $\mathcal{A}$  equipped with  $\Delta$  invariant and  $\Phi$  associative multiplication is an associative algebra in the monoidal category  $\mathcal{C}(B, \Delta, \Phi)$ . If  $(B, \tilde{\Delta}, \tilde{\Phi})$  is a Drinfeld algebra twisted by (2.10) and (2.11), then the algebra  $\mathcal{A}$  may be transferred into the equivalent category  $\tilde{\mathcal{C}}(B, \tilde{\Delta}, \tilde{\Phi})$ : the multiplication  $\tilde{\mu} = \mu F^{-1} : M \otimes_A M \rightarrow M$  is  $\tilde{\Phi}$ -associative and invariant in the category  $\tilde{\mathcal{C}}$ .

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be a  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant associative algebra, i.e., an algebra with  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant multiplication  $\mu$  in sense of (2.12). A deformation (or quantization) of  $\mathcal{A}$  is an associative algebra,  $\mathcal{A}_h$ , which is isomorphic to  $\mathcal{A}[[h]] = \mathcal{A} \otimes \mathbb{C}[[h]]$  (completed tensor product) as a  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$ -module, with multiplication in  $\mathcal{A}_h$  having the form  $\mu_h = \mu + h\mu_1 + o(h)$ . The algebra  $U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]]$  clearly acts on the  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$  module  $\mathcal{A}_h$ .

We will study quantizations of  $\mathcal{A}$  which will be invariant under the comultiplication  $\Delta_h$ . In other words,  $\mathcal{A}_h$  will be an algebra in the category of representations of the quantum group  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ . It is clear from the previous Subsection that if  $\mathcal{A}_h$  is such a quantization, then the multiplication  $\mu_h F_h$  makes the module  $\mathcal{A}[[h]]$  into an algebra in the category  $\mathcal{C}(U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]], \Delta, \Phi_h)$ , i.e., this multiplication is  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant and  $\Phi_h$  associative.

We shall see that often it is easier to construct  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant and  $\Phi_h$  associative quantization of  $\mathcal{A}$ . After that, the invariant quantization with respect to any quantum group from Proposition 2.1 can be obtained by twisting by the appropriate  $F_h$ .

As an algebra  $\mathcal{A}$  we may take an algebra  $\mathcal{A}_t$  that is itself a  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of a commutative algebra  $\mathcal{A}$ . In this case, a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of  $\mathcal{A}_t$  is an algebra  $\mathcal{A}_{t,h}$  over  $\mathbb{C}[[t, h]]$ .

## 2.4 Poisson brackets associated with the $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ invariant quantization

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be a  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant commutative algebra with multiplication  $\mu$  and  $\mathcal{A}_h$  its quantization with multiplication  $\mu_h = \mu + h\mu_1 + o(h)$ . The Poisson bracket corresponding to the quantization is given by  $\{a, b\} = \mu_1(a, b) - \mu_1(b, a)$ ,  $a, b \in \mathcal{A}$ .

In general, we call a skew-symmetric bilinear form  $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  a bracket, if it satisfies the Leibniz rule in either argument when the other is fixed. The term Poisson bracket indicates that the Jacobi identity is also true.

A bracket of the form

$$\{a, b\}_r = (r_1 a)(r_2 b) = \mu r(a \otimes b) \quad a, b \in \mathcal{A}, \quad (2.14)$$

where  $r = r_1 \otimes r_2$  (summation implicit) is the representation of  $r$ -matrix  $r$ , will be called an  $r$ -matrix bracket.



Assume  $\mathcal{A}_h$  is a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization, i.e., the multiplication  $\mu_h$  is  $\Delta_h$  invariant. We shall show that in this case the Poisson bracket  $\{\cdot, \cdot\}$  has a special form. Suppose  $f$  and  $g$  are two brackets on  $\mathcal{A}$ . Define their Schouten bracket  $\llbracket f, g \rrbracket$  as

$$\llbracket f, g \rrbracket(a, b, c) = f(g(a, b), c) + g(f(a, b), c) + \text{cyclic permutations of } a, b, c. \quad (2.15)$$

Then  $\llbracket f, g \rrbracket$  is a skew-symmetric map  $\mathcal{A}^{\otimes 3} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$ . We call  $f$  and  $g$  compatible if  $\llbracket f, g \rrbracket = 0$ .

**Proposition 2.2.** *Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be a  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant commutative algebra and  $\mathcal{A}_h$  a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization. Then the corresponding Poisson bracket has the form*

$$\{a, b\} = f(a, b) - \{a, b\}_r \quad (2.16)$$

where  $f(a, b)$  is a  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant bracket.

The brackets  $f$  and  $\{\cdot, \cdot\}_r$  are compatible and  $\llbracket f, f \rrbracket = -\varphi_{\mathcal{A}}$ , where  $\varphi_{\mathcal{A}}(a, b, c) = (\varphi_1 a)(\varphi_2 b)(\varphi_3 c)$  and  $\varphi_1 \otimes \varphi_2 \otimes \varphi_3 = \varphi \in \wedge^3 \mathfrak{g}$  is the invariant element from (2.2).

*Proof.* Let the comultiplication for  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  have the form (2.1). Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be a commutative algebra with the  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant multiplication  $\mu$ . Suppose  $\mathcal{A}_h$  is a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of  $\mathcal{A}$ . This means that the deformed multiplication has the form

$$\mu_h = \mu + h\mu_1 + o(h) \quad (2.17)$$

and satisfies the relation

$$x\mu_h(a \otimes b) = \mu_h\Delta_h(x)(a \otimes b) \quad \text{for } x \in U(\mathfrak{g}), a, b \in \mathcal{A}. \quad (2.18)$$

Substituting (2.1) and (2.17) in (2.18) and collecting the terms by  $h$  we obtain

$$\mu_1(a \otimes b) = \mu\Delta(x)(a \otimes b) + m\Delta_1(x)(a \otimes b).$$

Subtracting from this equation the similar one with permuting  $a$  and  $b$  and making use that  $\Delta$  is commutative and  $\delta = \Delta_1 - \sigma\Delta_1$  is skew-commutative, we derive that the Poisson bracket  $p = \{\cdot, \cdot\}$  has to satisfy the property

$$xp(a \otimes b) = p\Delta(x)(a \otimes b) + \mu\delta(x)(a \otimes b), \quad x \in U(\mathfrak{g}). \quad (2.19)$$

Let us prove that the bracket  $f(a, b) = \{a, b\} + \{a, b\}_r$  is  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant. Indeed, from (2.14) we have for  $x \in U(\mathfrak{g})$ ,  $a, b \in \mathcal{A}$

$$x\mu_r(a \otimes b) = \mu\Delta(x)r(a \otimes b) = \mu r\Delta(x)(a \otimes b) - \mu[r, \Delta(x)](a \otimes b).$$

Using this expression, (2.19), and the fact that  $\delta(x) = [r, \Delta(x)]$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} xf &= xp + x\mu_r = (p\Delta(x) + \mu[r, \Delta(x)]) + (\mu r\Delta(x) - \mu[r, \Delta(x)]) = \\ &= p\Delta(x) + \mu r\Delta(x) = f\Delta(x), \end{aligned}$$

which proves the invariantness of  $f$ .

So, we have  $\{a, b\} = f(a, b) - \{a, b\}_r$ , as required.

It is easy to check that any bracket of the form  $\{a, b\} = (X_1 a)(X_2 b) = \mu(X_1 a, X_2 b)$ , for  $X_1 \otimes X_2 \in \mathfrak{g} \wedge \mathfrak{g}$ , is compatible with any invariant bracket. In particular, an  $r$ -matrix bracket is compatible with  $f$ . In addition,  $\{\cdot, \cdot\}$  is a Poisson bracket, so its Schouten bracket with itself is equal to zero. Using this and the fact that the Schouten bracket of  $r$ -matrix bracket with itself is equal to  $\varphi_{\mathcal{A}}$ , we obtain from (2.16) that  $\llbracket f, f \rrbracket = -\varphi_{\mathcal{A}}$ .  $\square$

**Remark 2.1.** Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be the function algebra on a  $G$ -manifold  $M$ , where the Lie group  $G$  corresponds to the Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$ . It is easy to see that condition (2.19) with  $\delta(x) = [r, \Delta(x)]$  is equivalent to the condition that the pair  $(M, p)$  becomes a  $(G, \tilde{r})$ -Poisson manifold, where  $\tilde{r}$  is the Poisson structure on  $G$  defined by the  $r$ -matrix  $r$ :  $\tilde{r} = r' - r''$ , where  $r'$  and  $r''$  are the left- and right-invariant bivector fields on  $G$  corresponding to  $r$ . It is known that  $\tilde{r}$  makes  $G$  into a Poisson-Lie group. So Proposition 2.2 gives a description of Poisson structures  $p$  on  $M$  making  $(M, p)$  into a  $(G, \tilde{r})$ -Poisson manifold.

We shall also consider two parameter quantizations of algebras. A two parameter quantization of an algebra  $\mathcal{A}$  is an algebra  $\mathcal{A}_{t,h}$  isomorphic to  $\mathcal{A}[[t, h]]$  as a  $\mathbb{C}[[t, h]]$  module and having a multiplication in the form

$$\mu_{t,h} = \mu + t\mu'_1 + h\mu''_1 + o(t, h).$$

With such a quantization, one associates two Poisson brackets: the bracket  $s(a, b) = \mu'_1(a, b) - \mu'_1(b, a)$  along  $t$ , and the bracket  $p(a, b) = \mu''_1(a, b) - \mu''_1(b, a)$  along  $h$ . It is easy to check that  $p$  and  $s$  are compatible Poisson brackets, i.e., the Schouten bracket  $\llbracket p, s \rrbracket = 0$ .

A pair of compatible Poisson brackets we call a Poisson pencil.

**Corollary 2.1.** *Let  $\mathcal{A}_{t,h}$  be a two parameter  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of a commutative algebra  $\mathcal{A}$  such that  $\mathcal{A}_{t,0}$  is a one parameter  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of  $\mathcal{A}$  with Poisson bracket  $s$ . Then the  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization  $\mathcal{A}_{0,h}$  has a Poisson bracket  $p$  of the form (2.16):  $p = f - \{\cdot, \cdot\}_r$ , where  $f$  is an invariant bracket such that  $\llbracket f, f \rrbracket = -\varphi_{\mathcal{A}}$  and compatible with  $s$ , i.e.,*

$$\llbracket f, s \rrbracket = 0. \tag{2.20}$$

*Proof.* For the two parameter quantization, the Poisson brackets  $p$  and  $s$  form a Poisson pencil, hence must be compatible. Also,  $s$  is a  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant bracket, so that  $s$  is compatible with the  $r$ -matrix bracket  $\{\cdot, \cdot\}_r$ . It follows from (2.16) that  $s$  has to be compatible with  $f$ .  $\square$

In what follows, we shall often call  $\mathcal{A}_{t,h}$  a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization (or double quantization) of the invariant Poisson bracket  $s$ , or of the Poisson pencil  $s$  and  $p$ .

**Remark 2.2.** As we have seen in Subsection 2.3, to construct a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of  $\mathcal{A}$  is the same that to construct a  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant  $\Phi_h$  associative quantization of  $\mathcal{A}$ . We shall see that the last problem often turns out to be simpler (see Subsection 4.3). We observe that if  $p = f - \{\cdot, \cdot\}_r$  is an admissible Poisson bracket for  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization, then the invariant bracket  $f$  with the property  $\llbracket f, f \rrbracket = -\varphi_{\mathcal{A}}$  may be considered as a “Poisson bracket” of quantization in the category with  $\Phi_h$  defining the associativity constraint. Also, the pair  $f, s$  is a Poisson pencil in that category.

### 3 Double quantization on coadjoint representations

In this section we study a two parameter (or double) quantization on coadjoint representations of simple Lie algebras.

Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be a complex Lie algebra. Then, the symmetric algebra  $S\mathfrak{g}$  can be considered as a function algebra on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ . The algebra  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  is included in the family of algebras  $(S\mathfrak{g})_t = T(\mathfrak{g})[t]/J_t$ , where  $J_t$  is the ideal generated by the elements of the form  $x \otimes y - \sigma(x \otimes y) - t[x, y]$ ,  $x, y \in \mathfrak{g}$ ,  $\sigma$  is the permutation. By the PBW theorem,  $(S\mathfrak{g})_t$  is a free module over  $\mathbb{C}[t]$ . We have  $(S\mathfrak{g})_0 = S\mathfrak{g}$ , so this family of quadratic-linear algebras gives a  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of  $S\mathfrak{g}$  by the Lie bracket  $s$ .

It turns out that for  $\mathfrak{g} = sl(n)$  this picture can be extended to the quantum case, [Do2]. Namely, there exist deformations,  $\sigma_h$  and  $[\cdot, \cdot]_h$ , of both the mappings  $\sigma$  and  $[\cdot, \cdot]$  such that the two parameter family of algebras  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h} = T(\mathfrak{g})[[h]][t]/J_{t,h}$ , where  $J_{t,h}$  is the ideal generated by the elements of the form  $x \otimes y - \sigma_h(x \otimes y) - t[x, y]_h$ ,  $x, y \in \mathfrak{g}$ , gives a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of the Lie bracket  $s$  on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ . In this case, the corresponding bracket  $f$  from (2.20) is a quadratic bracket which is, up to a factor, a unique nontrivial invariant map  $\wedge^2 \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow S^2 \mathfrak{g}$ .

We shall show that for other simple Lie algebras, double quantizations of the Lie brackets do not exist.

We give two constructions of the algebra  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$ . The first construction uses an idea from the paper [LS] on a quantum analog of Lie algebra for  $sl(n)$ . The second construction using the so called reflection equations (RE), [KS], [Maj], is presented in Remark 3.4..

### 3.1 Quantum Lie algebra for $U_h(sl(n))$

Let  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  be a quantized universal enveloping algebra for a Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$ . We consider  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  as a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  module with respect to the left adjoint action:  $\text{ad}(x)y = x_1 y \gamma(x_2)$ , where  $x, y \in U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ ,  $\Delta_h(x) = x_1 \otimes x_2$  (summation implicit).

There were attempts to define quantum Lie algebras as deformed standard classical embeddings of  $\mathfrak{g}$  into  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  obeying some additional properties, [DG], [LS].

In the classical case, there is probably the following way (not using comultiplication) to distinguish the standard embedding  $\mathfrak{g} \rightarrow U(\mathfrak{g})$  from other invariant embeddings: with respect to this embedding  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  is a quadratic-linear algebra. So, we give the following (working) definition of quantum Lie algebras.

**Definition 3.1.** Let  $\mathfrak{g}_h$  be a subrepresentation of  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ , which is a deformation of the standard embedding of  $\mathfrak{g}$  in  $U(\mathfrak{g})$ . We call  $\mathfrak{g}_h$  a quantum Lie algebra, if the kernel of the induced homomorphism  $T(\mathfrak{g}_h) \rightarrow U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  is defined by (deformed) quadratic-linear relations.

We are going to show that the quantum Lie algebra exists in case  $\mathfrak{g} = sl(n)$ . On the other hand, if such an algebra exists for some Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$ , then a double quantization of the Lie bracket on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  also exists. But, as we shall see, no double quantization exists for simple  $\mathfrak{g} \neq sl(n)$ . So, among simple finite dimensional Lie algebras, only  $sl(n)$  has a quantum Lie algebra in our sense.

Our construction is the following. Let  $R = R'_i \otimes R''_i \in U_h(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  (completed tensor product) be the R-matrix (summation by  $i$  is assumed). It satisfies the properties [Dr2]

$$\Delta'_h(x) = R \Delta_h(x) R^{-1}, \quad x \in U_h(\mathfrak{g}), \quad (3.1)$$

where  $\Delta_h$  is the comultiplication in  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  and  $\Delta'_h$  is the opposite one,

$$\begin{aligned}(\Delta_h \otimes 1)R &= R^{13}R^{23} = R'_i \otimes R'_j \otimes R''_i R''_j \\ (1 \otimes \Delta_h)R &= R^{13}R^{12} = R'_i R'_j \otimes R''_j \otimes R''_i,\end{aligned}\tag{3.2}$$

and

$$(1 \otimes \varepsilon)R = (\varepsilon \otimes 1)R = 1 \otimes 1,\tag{3.3}$$

where  $\varepsilon$  is the counit in  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ .

Consider the element  $Q = Q'_i \otimes Q''_i = R^{21}R$ . It follows from (3.1) that  $Q$  commutes with elements from  $U_h(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  of the form  $\Delta_h(x)$ . This is equivalent for  $Q$  to be invariant under the adjoint action of  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  on  $U_h(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ .

Let  $V$  be an irreducible finite dimensional representation of  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  and  $\rho : U_h(\mathfrak{g}) \rightarrow \text{End}(V)$  the corresponding map of algebras. Consider the dual space  $\text{End}(V)^*$  as a left  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  module setting

$$(x\varphi)(a) = \varphi(\gamma(x_{(1)})ax_{(2)}),$$

where  $\varphi \in \text{End}(V)^*$ ,  $a \in \text{End}(V)$ ,  $\Delta_h(x) = x_{(1)} \otimes x_{(2)}$  in Sweedler notions, and  $\gamma$  denotes the antipode in  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ .

Consider the map

$$f : \text{End}(V)^* \rightarrow U_h(\mathfrak{g})\tag{3.4}$$

defined as  $\varphi \mapsto \varphi(\rho(Q'_i)Q''_i)$ . From the invariance of  $Q$  it follows that  $f$  is a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  equivariant map, so  $\overline{L} = \text{Im}(f)$  is a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  submodule.

It follows from (3.2) that  $\overline{L}$  is a left coideal in  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ , i.e.,  $\Delta(x) \in U_h(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes \overline{L}$  for any  $x \in \overline{L}$ . Indeed,  $Q = R''_i R'_j \otimes R'_i R''_j$ . Applying (3.2) we obtain

$$(1 \otimes \Delta_h)R^{21}R = R''_i R'_j R'_k R'_l \otimes R'_i R''_l \otimes R'_j R''_k\tag{3.5}$$

Let  $\varphi \in \text{End}(V)^*$ . Define  $\psi_{il} \in \text{End}(V)^*$  setting  $\psi_{il}(a) = \varphi(R'_i a R'_l)$  for  $a \in \text{End}(V)$ . Then  $\Delta\varphi(R''_i R'_j)R'_i R''_j = R'_i R''_l \otimes \psi_{il}(R'_j R'_k)R'_j R''_k$ , which obviously belongs to  $U_h(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes \overline{L}$ .

Recall, [Dr2], that  $R = F_h^{21} e^{\frac{h}{2}\mathbf{t}} F_h^{-1}$ . Here  $\mathbf{t} = \sum_i t_i \otimes t_i$  is the split Casimir, where  $t_i$  form an orthonormal basis in  $\mathfrak{g}$  with respect to the Killing form,  $F = 1 \otimes 1 + \frac{h}{2}r + o(h)$  (see (2.4)), and  $r$  is a classical  $r$ -matrix. Therefore,

$$Q = R^{21}R = F e^{h\mathbf{t}} F^{-1} = 1 \otimes 1 + h\mathbf{t} + \frac{h^2}{2}(\mathbf{t}^2 + [r, \mathbf{t}]) + o(h^2).\tag{3.6}$$

Denote by  $\text{Tr}$  the unique (up to a factor) invariant element in  $\text{End}(V)^*$ . Let  $Z_0 = \rho_0(\mathfrak{g})$ , and denote by  $Z_h$  some  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant deformation of  $Z_0$  in  $\text{End}(V)$ . Then we have a decomposition  $\text{End}(V) = I \oplus Z_h \oplus W$ , where  $I$  is the one dimensional invariant subspace generated by the identity map,  $W$  is a complement to  $I \oplus Z_h$  invariant subspace. This gives a decomposition  $\text{End}(V)^* = I^* \oplus Z_h^* \oplus W^*$  where  $W^*$  consists of all the elements which are equal to zero on  $I \oplus Z_h$ . The space  $I^*$  is generated by  $\text{Tr}$ , and after normalizing in such a way that  $\text{Tr}(\text{id}) = 1$ , we obtain that  $C_V = f(\text{Tr})$  is of the form

$$C_V = \text{Tr}(\rho(Q'_i))Q''_i = 1 + h^2 c + o(h^2),\tag{3.7}$$

where  $c$  is an invariant element of  $U(\mathfrak{g})$ . It follows from (3.3) that  $\varepsilon(C) = 1$ .

From (3.6) follows that the elements of  $f(Z_h^*)$  have the form

$$z = hx + o(h), \quad x \in \mathfrak{g}, \quad (3.8)$$

hence the subspace  $L_1 = h^{-1}f(Z_h^*)$  forms a subrepresentation of  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  with respect to the left adjoint action of  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  on itself, which is a deformation of the standard embedding of  $\mathfrak{g}$  into  $U(\mathfrak{g})$ . It follows from (3.3) that  $\varepsilon(L_1) = 0$ .

The elements from  $f(W^*)$  have the form  $w = h^2b + o(h^2)$  and  $\varepsilon(W^*) = 0$ . Denote  $L_2 = h^{-2}f(W^*)$ .

So,  $\overline{L} = \mathbb{C}C_V \oplus hL_1 \oplus h^2L_2 = \mathbb{C}C_V + hL$ , where  $L = L_1 \oplus hL_2$ . Since  $\overline{L}$  is a left coideal in  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ , for any  $x \in \overline{L}$  we have

$$\Delta_h(x) = x_{(1)} \otimes x_{(2)} = z \otimes C_V + v \otimes x',$$

where  $z, v \in U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ ,  $x' \in L$ . Applying to the both hand sides  $(1 \otimes \varepsilon)$  and multiplying we obtain  $x = x_{(1)}\varepsilon(x_{(2)}) = z\varepsilon(C_V) + v\varepsilon(x') = z$ . So,  $z$  has to be equal to  $x$ . and we obtain

$$\Delta_h(x) = x_{(1)} \otimes x_{(2)} = x \otimes C_V + v \otimes x', \quad x, x' \in L. \quad (3.9)$$

From (3.9) we have for any  $y \in L$

$$xy = x_{(1)}y\gamma(x_{(2)})x_{(3)} = x_{(1)}y\gamma(x_{(2)})C_V + v_{(1)}y\gamma(v_{(2)})x'. \quad (3.10)$$

Introduce the following maps:

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma'_h : L \otimes L &\rightarrow L \otimes L, & x \otimes y &\mapsto v_{(1)}y\gamma(v_{(2)}) \otimes x', \\ [\cdot, \cdot]'_h : L \otimes L &\rightarrow L, & x \otimes y &\mapsto x_{(1)}y\gamma(x_{(2)}). \end{aligned} \quad (3.11)$$

We may rewrite (3.10) in the form

$$m(x \otimes y - \sigma'_h(x \otimes y)) - [x, y]'_h C_V = 0. \quad (3.12)$$

Observe now that, as follows from (3.7),  $C_V$  is an invertible element in  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ . Put  $P = C_V^{-1}$ . Transfer the maps (3.11) to the space  $P \cdot L$ , i.e., define

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_h(Px, Py) &= (P \otimes P)\sigma'_h(x, y), \\ [Px, Py]_h &= P[x, y]'_h. \end{aligned}$$

From (3.9) we obtain

$$P_{(1)}x_{(1)} \otimes P_{(2)}x_{(2)} = P_{(1)}x \otimes P_{(2)}C_V + P_{(1)}v \otimes P_{(2)}x'. \quad (3.13)$$

Using this relation and taking into account that  $P$  commutes with all elements from  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ , we obtain as in (3.10)

$$PxPy = P_{(1)}x_{(1)}Py\gamma(x_{(2)})\gamma(P_{(2)})P_{(3)}x_{(3)} = \quad (3.14)$$

$$P_{(1)}x_{(1)}Py\gamma(x_{(2)})\gamma(P_{(2)})P_{(3)}C_V + P_{(1)}v_{(1)}Py\gamma(v_{(2)})\gamma(P_{(2)})P_{(3)}x' = \quad (3.15)$$

$$P[x, y]'_h + P^2m\sigma'_h(x \otimes y) = [Px, Py]_h + m\sigma_h(Px \otimes Py). \quad (3.16)$$

This equality may be written as

$$m(x \otimes y - \sigma_h(x \otimes y)) - [x, y]_h = 0, \quad x, y \in C_V^{-1}L. \quad (3.17)$$

Define  $L_V = C_V^{-1}L$ . Let  $T(L_V) = \bigoplus_{k=0}^{\infty} L_V^{\otimes k}$  be the tensor algebra over  $L_V$ . Notice, that  $T(L_V)$  is not supposed to be completed in  $h$ -adic topology. Let  $J$  be the ideal in  $T(L_V)$  generated by the relations

$$(x \otimes y - \sigma_h(x \otimes y)) - [x, y]_h, \quad x, y \in L_V. \quad (3.18)$$

Due to (3.17) we have a homomorphism of algebras over  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$

$$\psi_h : T(L_V)/J \rightarrow U_h(\mathfrak{g}), \quad (3.19)$$

extending the natural embedding  $L_V \rightarrow U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  of  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  modules..

Now we can prove

**Proposition 3.1.** *For  $\mathfrak{g} = sl(n)$  the quantum Lie algebra exists.*

*Proof.* Apply the above construction to  $V = \mathbb{C}^n[[h]]$ , the deformed basic representation of  $\mathfrak{g}$ . In this case  $\text{End}(V) = I \oplus Z_h$ , where  $Z_h$  is a deformed adjoint representation. So,  $\mathfrak{g}_h = L_V = h^{-1}C_V^{-1}f(Z_h^*)$  is a deformation of the standard embedding of  $\mathfrak{g}$  in  $U(\mathfrak{g})$ . It is easy to see that in this case  $\sigma_h$  is a deformation of the usual permutation:  $\sigma_0(x \otimes y) = y \otimes x$ , and  $[\cdot, \cdot]_h$  is a deformation of the Lie bracket on  $\mathfrak{g}$ :  $[x, y]_0 = [x, y]$ ,  $x, y \in \mathfrak{g} \subset U(\mathfrak{g})$ . Hence, at  $h = 0$ , the quadratic-linear relations (3.18) are exactly the defining relations for  $U(\mathfrak{g})$ , therefore the map (3.19) is an isomorphism at  $h = 0$ . It follows that (3.19) is an embedding. (Actually, (3.19) is essentially an isomorphism, i.e., it is an isomorphism after completion of  $T(L_V)$  in  $h$ -adic topology.) So, the kernel of the map  $T(L_h) \rightarrow U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  is defined by the quadratic-linear relations (3.18).  $\square$

**Remark 3.1.** Quadratic-linear relations (3.18) can be obtained in another way. Note that equation (3.5) may be rewritten as

$$(1 \otimes \Delta_h)Q = R_{21}Q_{13}R_{12}. \quad (3.20)$$

Since  $Q$  commutes with all elements of the form  $\Delta_h(x)$ ,  $x \in U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ , one derives from (3.20):

$$Q_{23}R_{21}Q_{13}R_{12} = R_{21}Q_{13}R_{12}Q_{23}. \quad (3.21)$$

Consider the element  $Q_\rho = \rho(Q_1) \otimes Q_2$  as a  $\dim(V) \times \dim(V)$  matrix with the entries from  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ . Applying to (3.21) operator  $\rho \otimes \rho \otimes 1$ , we obtain the following relation for  $Q_\rho$ :

$$(Q_\rho)_2 \overline{R}_{21} (Q_\rho)_1 \overline{R} = \overline{R}_{21} (Q_\rho)_1 \overline{R} (Q_\rho)_2, \quad (3.22)$$

where  $\overline{R} = (\rho \otimes \rho)R$  is a number matrix, the Yang-Baxter operator in  $V \otimes V$ . Replacing in this equation  $\overline{R}$  by  $S = \sigma \overline{R}$ , we obtain that the matrix  $Q_\rho$  satisfies the following reflection equation (RE):

$$(Q_\rho)_2 S (Q_\rho)_2 S = S (Q_\rho)_2 S (Q_\rho)_2. \quad (3.23)$$

It is clear that the entries of the matrix  $Q_\rho$  generate the image of the map (3.4). From (3.7) follows that  $Q_\rho$  has the form

$$Q_\rho = \text{Id}_V \mathcal{C}_V + hB', \quad (3.24)$$

where  $B'$  has the form  $B' = \sum D_i \otimes b_i$ ,  $D_i$  belong to the complement to  $\mathbb{C} \text{Id}_V$  submodule in  $\text{End}(V)$  and  $b_i \in U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ . Note that the entries of the matrix  $B'$  form the subspace  $L$ , whereas the entries of  $B = \mathcal{C}_V^{-1} B'$  form the subspace  $L_V$  from (3.17). From (3.24) we obtain

$$\mathcal{C}_V^{-1} Q_\rho = \text{Id} + hB. \quad (3.25)$$

Since the element  $\mathcal{C}_V^{-1}$  belongs to the center of  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ , the matrix  $\mathcal{C}_V^{-1} Q_\rho$  obeys the RE (3.23) as well. So,  $B$  satisfies the relation

$$(\text{Id} + hB)_2 S (\text{Id} + hB)_2 S = S (\text{Id} + hB)_2 S (\text{Id} + hB)_2. \quad (3.26)$$

One checks that (3.26), considered as a quadratic-linear relations for indetermined entries of  $B$ , is equivalent to (3.18) in the case  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{sl}(n)$ .

### 3.2 Double quantization on $\mathfrak{sl}(n)^*$

Introduce a new variable,  $t$ , and consider a homomorphism of algebras,  $T(L_V)[t] \rightarrow U_h(\mathfrak{g})[t]$ , which extends the embedding  $t \cdot \iota : L_V[t] \rightarrow U_h(\mathfrak{g})[t]$ , where  $\iota$  stands for the standard embedding  $L_V \rightarrow U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ . From (3.17) follows that  $t \cdot \iota$  factors through the homomorphism of algebras over  $\mathbb{C}[[h]][t]$

$$\phi_{t,h} : T(L_V)[t]/J_t \rightarrow U_h(\mathfrak{g})[t], \quad (3.27)$$

where  $J_t$  is the ideal generated by the relations

$$(x \otimes y - \sigma_h(x \otimes y)) - t[x, y]_h, \quad x, y \in L_V. \quad (3.28)$$

**Proposition 3.2.** *For  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{sl}(n)$  the algebra  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h} = T(L_V)[t]/J_t$  is a double quantization of the Lie bracket on  $S\mathfrak{g}$ .*

*Proof.* Since in this case  $L_V = \mathfrak{g}_h$ , from Proposition 3.1 follows that (3.27) is a monomorphism at  $t = 1$ . Due to the PBW theorem the algebra  $\text{Im}(\phi_{t,h})$  at the point  $h = 0$  is a free  $\mathbb{C}[t]$ -module and is equal to

$$(S\mathfrak{g})_t = T(\mathfrak{g})/\{x \otimes y - y \otimes x - t[x, y]\}. \quad (3.29)$$

For  $t = 0$  this algebra is the symmetric algebra  $S\mathfrak{g}$ , the algebra of algebraic functions on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ . For  $t \neq 0$  this algebra is isomorphic to  $U(\mathfrak{g})$ . Since  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  is a free  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$ -module, it follows that  $\phi_{t,h}$  in (3.27) is a monomorphism of algebras over  $\mathbb{C}[[h]][t]$  and  $\text{Im}(\phi_{t,h})$  is a free  $\mathbb{C}[[h]][t]$ -module isomorphic to

$$(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h} = T(\mathfrak{g}_h)[t]/\{x \otimes y - \sigma_h(x \otimes y) - t[x, y]_h\}. \quad (3.30)$$

It is clear that  $(S\mathfrak{g})_t = (S\mathfrak{g})_{t,0}$  is the standard quantization of the Lie bracket on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ .  $\square$

Call the algebra

$$(S\mathfrak{g})_h = (S\mathfrak{g})_{0,h} = T(\mathfrak{g}_h)/\{x \otimes y - \sigma_h(x \otimes y)\} \quad (3.31)$$

a quantum symmetric algebra (or quantum polynomial algebra on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ ). It is a free  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$  module and a quadratic algebra equal to  $S\mathfrak{g}$  at  $h = 0$ .

**Remark 3.2.** Up to now, all our constructions were considered for the quantum group in sense of Drinfeld,  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ , defined over  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$ . But one can deduce the results above for the quantum group in sense of Lusztig,  $U_q(\mathfrak{g})$ , defined over the algebra  $\mathbb{C}[q, q^{-1}]$ . We show, for example, how to obtain the quantum symmetric algebra over  $\mathfrak{g}$ . Let  $E$  be a Grassmannian consisting of subspaces in  $\mathfrak{g} \otimes \mathfrak{g}$  of dimension equal to  $\dim(\wedge^2 \mathfrak{g})$ , and  $\mathcal{Z}$  the closed algebraic subset of  $E$  consisting of subspaces  $J$  such that  $\dim(E \otimes J \cap J \otimes E) \geq \dim(\wedge^3 \mathfrak{g})$ . Let  $\mathcal{X}$  be the algebraic subset in  $\mathcal{Z} \times (\mathbb{C} \setminus 0)$  consisting of points  $(J, q)$  such that  $J$  is invariant under the action of  $U_q(\mathfrak{g})$ . The projection  $\pi : \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \setminus 0$  is a proper map. It is clear that the fiber of this projection over  $q = 1$  contains the point corresponding to the symmetric algebra  $S\mathfrak{g}$  as an isolated point, because there are no quadratic  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant Poisson brackets on  $S\mathfrak{g}$ .

As follows from the existence of  $(S\mathfrak{g})_h$  (completed situation at  $q = 1$ ), the dimension of  $\mathcal{X}$  is equal to 1. Hence, the projection  $\pi : \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \setminus 0$  is a covering. For  $x \in \mathcal{X}$  let  $J_x$  be the corresponding subspace in  $\mathfrak{g} \otimes \mathfrak{g}$  and  $(S\mathfrak{g})_x = T(\mathfrak{g})/\{J_x\}$  the corresponding quadratic algebra. Due to the projection  $\pi$ , the family  $(S\mathfrak{g})_x$ ,  $x \in \mathcal{X}$ , is a module over  $\mathbb{C}[q, q^{-1}]$ . Since  $J_x$  is  $U_{p(x)}(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant,  $(S\mathfrak{g})_x$  is a  $U_{p(x)}(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant algebra. Hence, after possible deleting from  $\mathcal{X}$  some countable set of points, we obtain a family of quadratic algebras with the same dimensions of graded components as  $S\mathfrak{g}$ . So, the family  $(S\mathfrak{g})_x$ ,  $x \in \mathcal{X}$  can be considered as a quantum symmetric algebra over  $U_q(\mathfrak{g})$ .

Note also that the family  $(S\mathfrak{g})_h$  can be thought of as a formal section of the map  $\pi : \mathcal{X} \rightarrow (\mathbb{C} \setminus 0)$  over the formal neighborhood of point  $q = 1$ . It follows that there is also an analytic section of  $\pi$  over some neighborhood,  $U$ , of the point  $q = 1$ . If  $(S\mathfrak{g})_h$  is a quantization with Poisson bracket  $f - \{\cdot, \cdot\}_r$  (see Proposition 2.2), then a quantization with Poisson bracket  $-f - \{\cdot, \cdot\}_r$  gives another section of  $\pi$  over  $U$ . Hence, in a neighborhood of the “classical” point  $x_0 \in \mathcal{X}$ ,  $\pi(x_0) = 1$ , the space  $\mathcal{X}$  has a singularity of type “cross”.

### 3.3 Poisson pencil corresponding to $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$

Let  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{sl}(n)$  and  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  be the double quantization from Proposition 3.2.

**Proposition 3.3.** *The Poisson pencil corresponding to the quantization  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  consists of two compatible Poisson brackets:*

*$s$  (along  $t$ ) is the Lie bracket;*

*$p$  (along  $h$ ) is a quadratic Poisson bracket of the form  $p = f - \{\cdot, \cdot\}_r$ , where  $f$  is an invariant quadratic bracket which is a unique up to a factor invariant map  $f : \wedge^2 \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow S^2 \mathfrak{g}$ , and  $\{\cdot, \cdot\}_r$  is the  $r$ -matrix bracket. Moreover,  $\llbracket s, f \rrbracket = 0$  and  $\llbracket f, f \rrbracket = -\overline{\varphi}$ , where  $\overline{\varphi}$  has the form  $\overline{\varphi}(a, b, c) = [\varphi_1, a][\varphi_2, b][\varphi_3, c]$ , and  $\varphi = \varphi_1 \wedge \varphi_2 \wedge \varphi_3 = \llbracket r, r \rrbracket$ . Recall that  $\varphi$  is a unique up to a factor invariant element of  $\wedge^3 \mathfrak{g}$ .*



*Proof.* That  $s$  coincides with the Lie bracket is obvious from (3.29). From Corollary 2.1 we have  $p = f - \{\cdot, \cdot\}_r$ . Since  $(S\mathfrak{g})_h$  is a quadratic algebra over  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$ ,  $p$  must be a quadratic bracket. But the  $r$ -matrix bracket  $\{\cdot, \cdot\}_r$  is quadratic, too. Hence,  $f$  must be a quadratic invariant bracket. There is only one possibility for such a bracket: it must be a unique (up to a factor) nontrivial invariant map  $f : \wedge^2 \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow S^2 \mathfrak{g}$ . Now apply Proposition 2.2 and Corollary 2.1.  $\square$

Consider now the quadratic bracket  $f$  in more detail.

We say that a  $k$ -vector field,  $g$ , on a manifold  $M$  is strongly restricted on a submanifold  $N \subset M$  if at any point of  $N$  the polyvector  $g$  can be presented as an exterior power of tangent vectors to  $N$ .

Consider the coadjoint action of the Lie group  $G = SL(n)$  on  $\mathfrak{g}^* = sl(n)^*$ . We want to prove that the bracket  $f$  is strongly restricted on any orbit of  $G$  in  $\mathfrak{g}$ . It turns out that there is the following general fact.

**Proposition 3.4.** *Let  $G$  be a semisimple Lie group with its Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$ ,  $s = [\cdot, \cdot]$  the Lie bracket on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ . Let  $f = \{\cdot, \cdot\}$  be an invariant bracket on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  such that the Schouten bracket  $\llbracket s, f \rrbracket$  is a three-vector field,  $\psi$ , strongly restricted on an orbit  $\mathcal{O}$  of  $G$ . Then  $f$  is strongly restricted on  $\mathcal{O}$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $x, y, z \in \mathfrak{g}$ . The invariance condition for  $\{\cdot, \cdot\}$  means:

$$[x, \{y, z\}] = \{[x, y], z\} + \{y, [x, z]\}. \quad (3.32)$$

The Schouten bracket  $\llbracket s, f \rrbracket$  is:

$$\begin{aligned} & [x, \{y, z\}] + [y, \{z, x\}] + [z, \{x, y\}] + \\ & \{x, [y, z]\} + \{y, [z, x]\} + \{z, [x, y]\} = \psi(x, y, z). \end{aligned}$$

In the left hand side of this expression, the 1-st, 5-th, and 6-th terms are canceled due to (3.32), and we have

$$[y, \{z, x\}] + [z, \{x, y\}] + \{x, [y, z]\} = \psi(x, y, z).$$

Putting in this equation instead of  $[y, \{z, x\}]$  its expression from (3.32), i.e.,  $\{[y, z], x\} + \{z, [y, x]\}$ , we obtain, since the term  $\{x, [y, z]\}$  is canceled:

$$\{z, [x, y]\} = [z, \{x, y\}] + \psi(x, y, z). \quad (3.33)$$

Now observe that, due to the Leibniz rule, equation (3.33) is valid for any  $z \in S\mathfrak{g}$ . To prove the proposition, it is sufficient to show that if  $z$  belongs to the ideal  $I_{\mathcal{O}}$  defining the orbit  $\mathcal{O}$ , then  $\{z, u\}$  also belongs to this ideal. Again, due to the Leibniz rule, it is sufficient to show this for  $u \in \mathfrak{g}$ . Since  $\mathfrak{g}$  is semisimple, there are elements  $x, y \in \mathfrak{g}$  such that  $[x, y] = u$ . We have from (3.33)

$$\{z, u\} = \{z, [x, y]\} = [z, \{x, y\}] + \psi(x, y, z).$$

But  $[z, \{x, y\}] \in I_{\mathcal{O}}$ , since the Lie bracket is restricted on any orbit,  $\psi(x, y, z) \in I_{\mathcal{O}}$  by hypothesis of the proposition. So,  $\{z, u\} \in I_{\mathcal{O}}$ .  $\square$

As a consequence we obtain

**Proposition 3.5.** *Let  $\mathfrak{g} = sl(n)$ . Then the bracket  $f$  from Proposition 3.3 is strongly restricted on any orbit of  $SL(n)$ .*

*Proof.* Follows from Propositions 3.3 and 3.4.  $\square$

**Remark 3.3.** According to Remark 2.1, this Proposition shows that in case  $G = SL(n)$  any orbit in coadjoint representation has a Poisson bracket  $p = f - r_M$  such that the pair  $(M, p)$  becomes a  $(G, \tilde{r})$ -Poisson manifold.

**Remark 3.4.** Recall that in case  $\mathfrak{g} = sl(n)$  the tensor square  $\mathfrak{g} \otimes \mathfrak{g}$ , considered as a representation of  $\mathfrak{g}$ , has a decomposition into irreducible components which are contained in  $\mathfrak{g} \otimes \mathfrak{g}$  with multiplicity one, except of the component isomorphic to  $\mathfrak{g}$  having multiplicity two. Moreover, both the symmetric and skew-symmetric parts of  $\mathfrak{g} \otimes \mathfrak{g}$  contain components,  $\mathfrak{g}^1$  and  $\mathfrak{g}^2$ , isomorphic to  $\mathfrak{g}$ . Hence, the bracket  $f$  takes  $\mathfrak{g}^2$  onto  $\mathfrak{g}^1$  and all the other components to zero.

For  $\mathfrak{g}$  simple not equal to  $sl(n)$ , the decomposition of  $\mathfrak{g} \otimes \mathfrak{g}$  is multiplicity free, hence non-trivial invariant maps  $\wedge^2 \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow S^2 \mathfrak{g}$  do not exist at all. It follows that for  $\mathfrak{g} \neq sl(n)$ , there do not exist quadratic algebras  $(S\mathfrak{g})_h$  which are  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantizations of  $S\mathfrak{g}$ .

**Question 3.1.** Prove that there exist no one parameter  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantizations of  $S\mathfrak{g}$  (not necessarily in the class of quadratic algebras) for all simple Lie algebras  $\mathfrak{g} \neq sl(n)$ .

Now we prove that for simple  $\mathfrak{g} \neq sl(n)$ , the double quantization does not exist (not necessarily in the class of quadratic-linear algebras).

**Proposition 3.6.** *Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be a simple finite dimensional Lie algebra not equal to  $sl(n)$ . Then a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of the Lie bracket on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  does not exist.*

*Proof.* If such a quantization exists, then from Corollary 2.1 follows that there exists an invariant bracket  $f$  on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  such that  $\llbracket s, f \rrbracket = 0$  and  $\llbracket f, f \rrbracket = -\overline{\varphi}$ . Here  $s$  is the Lie bracket and  $\overline{\varphi}$  is the three-vector field induced by  $\varphi$  (see Proposition 3.3). We show that such  $f$  does not exist. Observe that  $\overline{\varphi}$  has type  $(3, 3)$ , i.e., is a sum of terms of the view  $b \partial_x \wedge \partial_y \wedge \partial_z$ , where  $b$  is a homogeneous polynomial of degree 3. Observe also that the Schouten bracket of two polyvector fields of degrees  $(i, j)$  and  $(k, l)$  is a polyvector field of degree  $(i + k - 1, j + l - 1)$ . We shall write  $i$  for degree  $(i, j)$  when the second number,  $j$ , is clear from context.

It is obvious that on  $\mathfrak{g}$  there are no invariant bivector fields of degree 0 and, up to a factor, there is a unique invariant bivector field of degree 1, the Lie bracket  $s$  itself. Since  $\mathfrak{g} \neq sl(n)$ , there are no bivector fields of degree 2 (see Remark 3.4). Therefore,  $f$  must be of the form:  $f = s + f_1$ , where  $f_1$  is a bracket of degree  $\geq 3$ . Since  $f$  is compatible with  $s$  and  $\llbracket f, f \rrbracket = -\overline{\varphi}$ , it must be  $\llbracket f_1, f_1 \rrbracket = -\overline{\varphi}$ . But it is impossible, because  $\llbracket f_1, f_1 \rrbracket$  has at least degree 5.  $\square$

### 3.4 Quantum de Rham complex on $(sl(n))^*$

Consider the algebra  $\Omega^\bullet$  of differential forms on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  with polynomial coefficients. This is a graded differential algebra with differential  $d$  of degree 1 which forms the de Rham complex

$$(3.34)$$

where  $\Omega^k$  is the space of  $k$ -forms with polynomial coefficients.

We call a complex over  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$

$$\Omega_h^\bullet : (S\mathfrak{g})_h \xrightarrow{d_h} \Omega_h^1 \xrightarrow{d_h} \Omega_h^2 \xrightarrow{d_h} \dots \quad (3.35)$$

a quantum (deformed) de Rham complex if it consists of  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant topologically free modules over  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$  and coincides with (3.34) at  $h = 0$ .

**Proposition 3.7.** *Let  $\mathfrak{g} = sl(n)$ . Then the quantized polynomial algebra  $(S\mathfrak{g})_h$  from (3.31) can be included in a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant graded differential algebra,  $\Omega_h^\bullet$ , which form a quantum de Rham complex (3.35).*

*Proof.* First of all, define a quantum exterior algebra,  $(\Lambda\mathfrak{g})_h$ , an algebra of differential forms with constant coefficients. Let us modify the operator  $\sigma_h$  from (3.31). Since the representation  $\mathfrak{g}_h^*$  is isomorphic to  $\mathfrak{g}_h$ , there exists a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant bilinear form on  $\mathfrak{g}_h$ , deformed Killing form. This form can be naturally extended to all tensor degrees  $\mathfrak{g}_h^{\otimes k}$ . Let  $W_h^2$  be the  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$  submodule in  $\mathfrak{g}_h \otimes \mathfrak{g}_h$  orthogonal to  $V_h^2 = \text{Im}(\text{id} \otimes \text{id} - \sigma_h)$ . Define an operator  $\bar{\sigma}_h$  on  $\mathfrak{g}_h \otimes \mathfrak{g}_h$  in such a way that it has the eigenvalues  $-1$  on  $V_h^2$  and  $1$  on  $W_h^2$ . It is clear that  $V_h^2$  and  $W_h^2$  are deformed skew symmetric and symmetric subspaces of  $\mathfrak{g} \otimes \mathfrak{g}$ .

Now observe that the third graded component in the quadratic algebra  $(S\mathfrak{g})_h$  is the quotient of  $\mathfrak{g}_h^{\otimes 3}$  by the submodule  $V_h^2 \otimes \mathfrak{g}_h + \mathfrak{g}_h \otimes V_h^2$ , hence this submodule and, therefore, the submodule  $V_h^2 \otimes \mathfrak{g}_h \cap \mathfrak{g}_h \otimes V_h^2$  are direct submodules in  $\mathfrak{g}_h^{\otimes 3}$ , i.e., they have complement submodules. As the complement submodules one can choose the submodules  $W_h^2 \otimes \mathfrak{g}_h \cap \mathfrak{g}_h \otimes W_h^2$  and  $W_h^2 \otimes \mathfrak{g}_h + \mathfrak{g}_h \otimes W_h^2$ , respectively, since they are complement at the point  $h = 0$  and  $W_h^2$  is orthogonal to  $V_h^2$  with respect to the Killing form extended to  $\mathfrak{g}_h \otimes \mathfrak{g}_h$ . Hence,  $W_h^2 \otimes \mathfrak{g}_h + \mathfrak{g}_h \otimes W_h^2$  is a direct submodule. Also, the symmetric algebra  $S\mathfrak{g}$  is Koszul. From a result of Drinfeld, [Dr3] (see also [DM]), follows that the quadratic algebra  $(\Lambda\mathfrak{g})_h = T(\mathfrak{g}_h)/\{W_h^2\}$  is a free  $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$  module, i.e., is a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ -invariant deformation of the exterior algebra  $\Lambda\mathfrak{g}$ .

Call  $(\Lambda\mathfrak{g})_h$  a quantum exterior algebra over  $\mathfrak{g}$ .

Define a quantum algebra of differential forms over  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  as the tensor product  $\Omega_h^\bullet = (S\mathfrak{g})_h \otimes (\Lambda\mathfrak{g})_h$  in the tensor category of representations of the quantum group  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ . The multiplication of two elements  $a \otimes \alpha$  and  $b \otimes \beta$  looks like  $ab_1 \otimes \alpha_1\beta$ , where  $b_1 \otimes \alpha_1 = S(\alpha \otimes b)$  for  $S = \sigma R$  being the permutation in that category. So,  $\Omega_h^k = (S\mathfrak{g})_h \otimes (\Lambda^k \mathfrak{g})_h$ .

As in the classical case, the algebras  $(S\mathfrak{g})_h$  and  $(\Lambda\mathfrak{g})_h$  can be embedded in  $T(\mathfrak{g}_h)$  as a graded submodules in the following way. Call the submodule  $W_h^k = (W_h^2 \otimes \mathfrak{g}_h \otimes \dots \otimes \mathfrak{g}_h) \cap (\mathfrak{g}_h \otimes W_h^2 \otimes \mathfrak{g}_h \otimes \dots \otimes \mathfrak{g}_h) \cap \dots \cap (\mathfrak{g}_h \otimes \mathfrak{g}_h \otimes \dots \otimes W_h^2)$  of  $T^k(\mathfrak{g}_h)$  a  $k$ -th symmetric part of  $T(\mathfrak{g}_h)$ . It is clear that the natural map  $\pi_W : T(\mathfrak{g}_h) \rightarrow (S\mathfrak{g})_h$  restricted to  $W_h^k$  is

a bijection onto the  $k$ -degree component  $(S^k \mathfrak{g})_h$  of  $(S\mathfrak{g})_h$ . Denote by  $\pi'_W : (S^k \mathfrak{g})_h \rightarrow W_h^k$  the inverse bijection. Similarly we define  $V_h^k$ , the  $k$ -th skew symmetric part of  $T(\mathfrak{g}_h)$ , and the bijection  $\pi'_V : (\Lambda^k \mathfrak{g})_h \rightarrow V_h^k$ .

Now, define a differential  $d_h$  in  $\Omega_h^\bullet$  as a homogeneous operator of degree  $(-1, 1)$ . It acts on an element,  $a \otimes \omega$ , of degree  $(k, m)$  in the following way. Let  $a \otimes \omega = (a_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes a_k) \otimes (\omega_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes \omega_m)$  be its realization as an element from  $W_h^k \otimes V_h^m$ . Then the formula

$$d_h(a \otimes \omega) = (a_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes a_{k-1} \otimes \pi'_V \pi_V(a_k \otimes \omega_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes \omega_m)) \quad (3.36)$$

presents the element  $d_h(a \otimes \omega)$  through its realization in  $W_h^{k-1} \otimes V_h^{m+1}$ . It is obvious that  $d_h^2 = 0$ .

So, the graded differential algebra  $\Omega_h^\bullet$  is constructed. It is easy to see that at the point  $h = 0$  this algebra coincides with  $\Omega^\bullet$ .  $\square$

Note that the quantum de Rham complex is exact, because it is exact at  $h = 0$ .

### 3.5 Restriction of $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$ on orbits

In this section  $G = SL(n)$ ,  $\mathfrak{g} = sl(n)$ .

Let  $M$  be an invariant closed algebraic subset in  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  and  $A$  the algebra of algebraic functions on  $M$ . The algebra  $A$  can be presented as a quotient of  $S\mathfrak{g}$  by some ideal,  $S\mathfrak{g} \rightarrow A \rightarrow 0$ .

We say that the quantization  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  can be restricted on  $M$  if there exists a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization,  $A_{t,h}$ , of  $A$ , which can be presented as a quotient of  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  by some ideal,  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h} \rightarrow A_{t,h} \rightarrow 0$ .

Note that, on the infinitesimal level, there are no obstructions for  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  to be restricted on  $M$ . Indeed, the Lie bracket on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  is strongly restricted on any orbit of  $G$  and induces the Kirillov-Kostant-Souriau bracket on  $M$ . Also, by Proposition 3.5, the bracket  $f$  involved in the quantization along  $h$  is also strongly restricted on any orbit.

From [DS1], one can derive that the problem of restriction of  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  is solved positively in case  $M$  is a minimal semisimple orbit, i.e.,  $M$  is a hermitian symmetric space.

We are going to show here that the problem also has a positive solution for  $M$  being a maximal semisimple orbit, i.e., if  $M$  can be defined as a set of zeros of invariant functions from  $S\mathfrak{g}$ . Such orbits are the orbits of diagonal matrices with distinct elements on diagonal.

**Proposition 3.8.** *Let  $\mathfrak{g} = sl(n)$ . Then the family  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  can be restricted on any maximal semisimple orbit in  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ .*

*Proof.* There exists an isomorphism of  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  modules  $(S\mathfrak{g})_h \rightarrow W_h$ , where  $W_h = \bigoplus_k W_h^k$ , the direct sum of the  $k$ -th symmetric parts of  $T(\mathfrak{g}_h)$  (see previous Subsection). Consider the composition  $W_h[t] \rightarrow T(\mathfrak{g}_h)[t] \rightarrow (S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$ , where the last map appears from (3.30). It is an isomorphism, since it is an isomorphism at the point  $h = 0$ . It follows that  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  is isomorphic to  $W_h[t]$  as a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ -module,

Denote by  $\mathcal{I}_{t,h}$  the submodule of  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant elements in  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$ . It is obvious that  $\mathcal{I}_{t,h}$  is isomorphic to  $\bigoplus_k \mathcal{I}_h^k[t]$ , where  $\mathcal{I}_h^k$  is the invariant submodule in  $W_h^k$ . Hence,  $\mathcal{I}_{t,h}$  is a direct free  $\mathbb{C}[[h]][t]$  submodule in  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$ . Moreover,  $\mathcal{I}_{t,h}$  is a central subalgebra in  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$ . Indeed, for a generic  $t$  the algebra  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  can be invariantly embedded in  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ . But

$\text{ad}(U_h(\mathfrak{g}))$  invariant elements in  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  form the center of  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ . Also,  $\mathcal{I}_{t,h}$  as an algebra is isomorphic to  $\mathbb{C}[[h]][t]$  with the trivial action of  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ , where  $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{I}_{0,0}$ , the algebra of invariant elements in  $S\mathfrak{g}$ . This follows from the fact that  $\mathcal{I}$  is a polynomial algebra, [Dix], and, therefore, admits no nontrivial commutative deformations.

By the Kostant theorem, [Dix],  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  is a free module over its center. It follows that at the point  $h = 0$  the module  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,0}$  is a free module over the algebra  $\mathcal{I}_{t,0}$ . One can easily derive from this that  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  is a free module over  $\mathcal{I}_{t,h}$ .

Now, let the maximal semisimple orbit  $M$  be defined by invariant elements from  $\mathcal{I}$ . Consider a character defined by  $M$ , the algebra homomorphism  $\lambda : \mathcal{I} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  which takes each element from  $\mathcal{I}$  to its value on  $M$ . Then,  $\mathbb{C}$  may be considered as an  $\mathcal{I}$ -module, and the function algebra  $A$  on  $M$  is equal to  $S\mathfrak{g} / \text{Ker}(\lambda)S\mathfrak{g} = S\mathfrak{g} \otimes_{\mathcal{I}} \mathbb{C}$ . Extend the character  $\lambda$  up to a character  $\lambda_{t,h} : \mathcal{I}_{t,h} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}[[h]][t]$  in the trivial way and consider  $\mathbb{C}[[h]][t]$  as a  $\mathcal{I}_{t,h}$ -module. The tensor product over  $\mathcal{I}_{t,h}$

$$A_{t,h} = (S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h} \otimes \mathbb{C}[[h]][t]$$

is a  $\mathbb{C}[[h]][t]$ -algebra. It is a free  $\mathbb{C}[[h]][t]$ -module, since  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  is a free one over  $\mathcal{I}_{t,h}$ .

It is obvious, that  $A_{0,0} = A$ ,  $A_{t,0}$  gives a quantization of the KKS bracket on  $M$ , and  $A_{t,h}$  is a quotient algebra of  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$ .  $\square$

In a next paper we shall prove that the quantization  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  can be restricted on all semisimple orbits.

**Question 3.2.** Can be the quantization  $(S\mathfrak{g})_{t,h}$  restricted on all orbits (not necessarily semisimple)?

As we have seen, the corresponding Poisson brackets are strongly restricted on all the orbits.

In next Section we consider the  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantizations on semisimple orbits in  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  for all simple Lie algebras  $\mathfrak{g}$ . It turns out that in general, on a given orbit there are many nonequivalent quantizations which are not restrictions from a quantization on  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ . From this point of view, the quantization on maximal orbits described by Proposition (3.8) is a distinguished one.

## 4 The one and two parameter quantization on semisimple orbits in $\mathfrak{g}^*$

### 4.1 Pairs of brackets on semisimple orbits

Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be a simple complex Lie algebra,  $\mathfrak{h}$  a fixed Cartan subalgebra. Let  $\Omega \subset \mathfrak{h}^*$  be the system of roots corresponding to  $\mathfrak{h}$ . Select a system of positive roots,  $\Omega^+$ , and denote by  $\Pi \subset \Omega$  the subset of simple roots. Fix an element  $E_\alpha \in \mathfrak{g}$  of weight  $\alpha$  for each  $\alpha \in \Omega^+$  and choose  $E_{-\alpha}$  such that

$$(E_\alpha, E_{-\alpha}) = 1 \tag{4.1}$$

for the Killing form  $(\cdot, \cdot)$  on  $\mathfrak{g}$ .

Let  $\Gamma$  be a subset of  $\Pi$ . Denote by  $\mathfrak{h}_\Gamma^*$  the subspace in  $\mathfrak{h}^*$  generated by  $\Gamma$ . Note, that  $\mathfrak{h}^* = \mathfrak{h}_\Gamma^* \oplus \mathfrak{h}_{\Pi \setminus \Gamma}^*$ , and one can identify  $\mathfrak{h}_{\Pi \setminus \Gamma}^*$  and  $\mathfrak{h}^*/\mathfrak{h}_\Gamma^*$  via the projection  $\mathfrak{h}^* \rightarrow \mathfrak{h}^*/\mathfrak{h}_\Gamma^*$ .

Let  $\Omega_\Gamma \subset \mathfrak{h}_\Gamma^*$  be the subsystem of roots in  $\Omega$  generated by  $\Gamma$ , i.e.,  $\Omega_\Gamma = \Omega \cap \mathfrak{h}_\Gamma^*$ . Denote by  $\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma$  the subalgebra of  $\mathfrak{g}$  generated by the elements  $\{E_\alpha, E_{-\alpha}\}$ ,  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ , and  $\mathfrak{h}$ . Such a subalgebra is called the Levi subalgebra.

Let  $G$  be a complex connected Lie group with Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$  and  $G_\Gamma$  a subgroup with Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma$ . Such a subgroup is called the Levi subgroup. It is known that  $G_\Gamma$  is a connected subgroup. Let  $M$  be a homogeneous space of  $G$  and  $G_\Gamma$  be the stabilizer of a point  $o \in M$ . We can identify  $M$  and the coset space  $G/G_\Gamma$ . It is known, that such  $M$  is isomorphic to a semisimple orbit in  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ . This orbit goes through an element  $\lambda \in \mathfrak{g}^*$  which is just the trivial extension to all of  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  (identifying  $\mathfrak{g}$  and  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  via the Killing form) of a map  $\lambda : \mathfrak{h}_{\Pi \setminus \Gamma} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  such that  $\lambda(\alpha) \neq 0$  for all  $\alpha \in \Pi \setminus \Gamma$ . Conversely, it is easy to show that any semisimple orbit in  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  is isomorphic to the quotient of  $G$  by a Levi subgroup.

The projection  $\pi : G \rightarrow M$  induces the map  $\pi_* : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow T_o$ , where  $T_o$  is the tangent space to  $M$  at the point  $o$ . Since the ad-action of  $\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma$  on  $\mathfrak{g}$  is semisimple, there exists an  $\text{ad}(\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma)$ -invariant subspace,  $\mathfrak{m} = \mathfrak{m}_\Gamma$ , of  $\mathfrak{g}$  complementary to  $\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma$ , and one can identify  $T_o$  and  $\mathfrak{m}$  by means of  $\pi_*$ . It is easy to see that subspace  $\mathfrak{m}$  is uniquely defined and has a basis formed by the elements  $E_\gamma, E_{-\gamma}$ ,  $\gamma \in \Omega^+ \setminus \Omega_\Gamma$ .

Let  $v \in \mathfrak{g}^{\otimes m}$  be a tensor over  $\mathfrak{g}$ . Using the right and the left actions of  $G$  on itself, one can associate with  $v$  right and left invariant tensor fields on  $G$  denoted by  $v^r$  and  $v^l$ .

We say that a tensor field,  $t$ , on  $G$  is right  $G_\Gamma$  invariant, if  $t$  is invariant under the right action of  $G_\Gamma$ . The  $G$  equivariant diffeomorphism between  $M$  and  $G/G_\Gamma$  implies that any right  $G_\Gamma$  invariant tensor field  $t$  on  $G$  induces tensor field  $\pi_*(t)$  on  $M$ . The field  $\pi_*(t)$  will be invariant on  $M$  if, in addition,  $t$  is left invariant on  $G$ , and any invariant tensor field on  $M$  can be obtained in such a way. Let  $v \in \mathfrak{g}^{\otimes m}$ . For  $v^l$  to be right  $G_\Gamma$  invariant it is necessary and sufficient that  $v$  to be  $\text{ad}(\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma)$  invariant. Denote  $\pi^r(v) = \pi_*(v^r)$  for any tensor  $v$  on  $\mathfrak{g}$  and  $\pi^l(v) = \pi_*(v^l)$  for any  $\text{ad}(\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma)$  invariant tensor  $v$  on  $\mathfrak{g}$ . Note, that tensor  $\pi^r(v)$  coincides with the image of  $v$  by the map  $\mathfrak{g}^{\otimes m} \rightarrow \text{Vect}(M)^{\otimes m}$  induced by the action map  $\mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \text{Vect}(M)$ . Any  $G$  invariant tensor on  $M$  has the form  $\pi^l(v)$ . Moreover,  $v$  clearly can be uniquely chosen from  $\mathfrak{m}^{\otimes m}$ .

Denote by  $\llbracket v, w \rrbracket \in \wedge^{k+l-1} \mathfrak{g}$  the Schouten bracket of the polyvectors  $v \in \wedge^k \mathfrak{g}$ ,  $w \in \wedge^l \mathfrak{g}$ , defined by the formula

$$\llbracket X_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge X_k, Y_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge Y_l \rrbracket = \sum (-1)^{i+j} [X_i, Y_j] \wedge X_1 \wedge \cdots \hat{X}_i \cdots \hat{Y}_j \cdots \wedge Y_l,$$

where  $[\cdot, \cdot]$  is the bracket in  $\mathfrak{g}$ . The Schouten bracket is defined in the same way for polyvector fields on a manifold, but instead of  $[\cdot, \cdot]$  one uses the Lie bracket of vector fields. We will use the same notation for the Schouten bracket on manifolds. It is easy to see that  $\pi^r(\llbracket v, w \rrbracket) = \llbracket \pi^r(v), \pi^r(w) \rrbracket$ , and the same relation is valid for  $\pi^l$ .

Denote by  $\overline{\Omega}_\Gamma$  the image of  $\Omega$  in  $\mathfrak{h}_{\Pi \setminus \Gamma}^*$  without zero. It is clear that  $\Omega_{\Pi \setminus \Gamma}$  can be identified with a subset of  $\overline{\Omega}_\Gamma$  and each element from  $\overline{\Omega}_\Gamma$  is a linear combination of elements from  $\Pi \setminus \Gamma$  with integer coefficients which all are either positive or negative. Thus, the subset  $\overline{\Omega}_\Gamma^+ \subset \overline{\Omega}_\Gamma$  of the elements with positive coefficients is exactly the image of  $\Omega^+$ . We call elements of  $\overline{\Omega}_\Gamma$  quasiroots and the images of  $\Pi \setminus \Gamma$  simple quasiroots.

**Proposition 4.1.** *The space  $\mathfrak{m}$  considered as a  $\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma$  representation space decomposes into the direct sum of subrepresentations  $\mathfrak{m}_{\bar{\beta}}$ ,  $\bar{\beta} \in \overline{\Omega}_\Gamma$ , where  $\mathfrak{m}_{\bar{\beta}}$  is generated by all the elements  $E_\beta$ ,  $\beta \in \Omega$ , such that the projection of  $\beta$  is equal to  $\bar{\beta}$ . This decomposition have the following properties:*

- a) *all  $\mathfrak{m}_{\bar{\beta}}$  are irreducible;*
- b) *for  $\bar{\beta}_1, \bar{\beta}_2 \in \overline{\Omega}_\Gamma$  such that  $\bar{\beta}_1 + \bar{\beta}_2 \in \overline{\Omega}_\Gamma$  one has  $[\mathfrak{m}_{\bar{\beta}_1}, \mathfrak{m}_{\bar{\beta}_2}] = \mathfrak{m}_{\bar{\beta}_1 + \bar{\beta}_2}$ ;*
- c) *for any pair  $\bar{\beta}_1, \bar{\beta}_2 \in \overline{\Omega}_\Gamma$  the representation  $\mathfrak{m}_{\bar{\beta}_1} \otimes \mathfrak{m}_{\bar{\beta}_2}$  is multiplicity free.*

*Proof.* Statements a) and b) are proven in [DGS]. Statement c) follows from the fact that all the weight subspaces for all  $\mathfrak{m}_{\bar{\beta}}$  have the dimension one (see N.Bourbaki, Groupes et algèbres de Lie, Chap. 8.9, Ex. 14).  $\square$

Since  $\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma$  contains the Cartan subalgebra  $\mathfrak{h}$ , each  $\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma$  invariant tensor over  $\mathfrak{m}$  has to be of weight zero. It follows that there are no invariant vectors in  $\mathfrak{m}$ . Hence, there are no invariant vector fields on  $M$ .

Consider the invariant bivector fields on  $M$ . From the above, such fields correspond to the  $\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma$  invariant bivectors from  $\wedge^2 \mathfrak{m}$ . Note, that any  $\mathfrak{h}$  invariant bivector from  $\wedge^2 \mathfrak{m}$  has to be of the form  $\sum c(\alpha) E_\alpha \wedge E_{-\alpha}$ .

**Proposition 4.2.** *A bivector  $v \in \wedge^2 \mathfrak{m}$  is  $\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma$  invariant if and only if it has the form  $v = \sum c(\alpha) E_\alpha \wedge E_{-\alpha}$  where the sum runs over  $\alpha \in \Omega^+ \setminus \Omega_\Gamma$ , and for two roots  $\alpha, \beta$  which give the same element in  $\mathfrak{h}^*/\mathfrak{h}_\Gamma^*$  one has  $c(\alpha) = c(\beta)$ .*

*Proof.* Follows from Proposition 4.1 and condition (4.1)  $\square$

This proposition shows, that coefficients of an invariant element  $v = \sum c(\alpha) E_\alpha \wedge E_{-\alpha}$  depend only of the image of  $\alpha$  in  $\overline{\Omega}_\Gamma^+$ , denoted  $\bar{\alpha}$ , so  $v$  can be written in the form  $v = \sum c(\bar{\alpha}) E_\alpha \wedge E_{-\alpha}$ . Let  $v \in \wedge^2 \mathfrak{m}$  be of the form  $v = \sum c(\bar{\alpha}) E_\alpha \wedge E_{-\alpha}$ , where the sum runs over  $\alpha \in \Omega^+ \setminus \Omega_\Gamma$ . Denote by  $\theta$  the Cartan automorphism of  $\mathfrak{g}$ . Then,  $v$  is  $\theta$  anti-invariant, i.e.,  $\theta v = -v$ . Hence, any  $\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma$  invariant bivector is  $\theta$  anti-invariant. If  $v, w \in \wedge^2 \mathfrak{m}$  are  $\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma$  invariant, then  $\llbracket v, w \rrbracket$  is  $\theta$  invariant and is of the form  $\llbracket v, w \rrbracket = \sum e(\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\beta}) E_{\alpha+\beta} \wedge E_{-\alpha} \wedge E_{-\beta}$  where roots  $\alpha, \beta$  are both negative or both positive and  $e(\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\beta}) = -e(-\bar{\alpha}, -\bar{\beta})$ . Hence, to calculate  $\llbracket v, w \rrbracket$  for such  $v$  and  $w$  it is sufficient to calculate coefficients  $e(\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\beta})$  for positive  $\bar{\alpha}$  and  $\bar{\beta}$ .

Define by  $\varphi_M$  the invariant three-vector field on  $M$  determined by the invariant element  $\varphi \in \wedge^3 \mathfrak{g}$ . A direct computation shows (see [DGS]) that the Schouten bracket of bivector  $v = \sum c(\bar{\alpha}) E_\alpha \wedge E_{-\alpha}$  with itself is equal to  $K^2 \varphi_M$  for a complex number  $K$ , if and only if the following equations hold

$$c(\bar{\alpha} + \bar{\beta})(c(\bar{\alpha}) + c(\bar{\beta})) = c(\bar{\alpha})c(\bar{\beta}) + K^2 \quad (4.2)$$

for all the pairs of positive quasiroots  $\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\beta}$  such that  $\bar{\alpha} + \bar{\beta}$  is a quasiroot. So, if  $c(\bar{\alpha})$  and  $c(\bar{\beta})$  are given and  $c(\bar{\alpha}) + c(\bar{\beta}) \neq 0$ ,

$$c(\bar{\alpha} + \bar{\beta}) = \frac{c(\bar{\alpha})c(\bar{\beta}) + K^2}{c(\bar{\alpha}) + c(\bar{\beta})}. \quad (4.3)$$

**Proposition 4.3.** *Let  $(\bar{\alpha}_1, \dots, \bar{\alpha}_k)$  be the  $k$ -tuple of all simple quasiroots. Given a  $k$ -tuple of complex numbers  $(c_1, \dots, c_k)$ , assign to each  $\bar{\alpha}_i$  the number  $c_i$ . Then*

*a) for almost all  $k$ -tuples of complex numbers (except an algebraic subset in  $\mathbb{C}^k$  of lesser dimension) equations (4.3) uniquely define numbers  $c(\bar{\alpha})$  for all positive quasiroots  $\bar{\alpha} = \sum \bar{\alpha}_i$  such that the bivector  $f = \sum c(\bar{\alpha}) E_\alpha \wedge E_{-\alpha}$  satisfies the condition*

$$[[f, f]] = K^2 \varphi_M;$$

*b) when  $K = 0$ , the solution described in part a) defines a Poisson bracket on  $M$ . Numbers  $c(\bar{\alpha})$  give a solution of (4.2) if and only if there exists a linear form  $\lambda \in \mathfrak{h}_{\Pi \setminus \Gamma}^*$  such that*

$$c(\bar{\alpha}) = \frac{1}{\lambda(\bar{\alpha})} \quad (4.4)$$

*for all quasiroots  $\bar{\alpha}$ .*

*Proof.* See [DGS]. □

**Remark 4.1.** This proposition shows that invariant brackets  $f$  on  $M$  defined by part a) of the proposition form a  $k$ -dimensional variety,  $\mathcal{X}_K$ , where  $k$  is the number of simple quasiroots. On the other hand,  $k = \dim H^2(M)$ , [Bo]. If  $K$  is regarded as indeterminate, then  $f$  forms a  $k + 1$  dimensional variety,  $\mathcal{X} \subset \mathbb{C}^k \times \mathbb{C}$ , (component  $\mathbb{C}$  corresponds to  $K$ ). Subvariety  $\mathcal{X}_0$  corresponds to  $K = 0$ , i.e., consists of Poisson brackets. It is easy to see that all the Poisson brackets with  $c(\bar{\alpha}) = 1/\lambda(\bar{\alpha}) \neq 0$  are nondegenerate. Since  $\mathcal{X}$  is connected, it follows that almost all brackets  $f$  (except an algebraic subset in  $\mathcal{X}$  of lesser dimension) are nondegenerate as well.

**Remark 4.2.** Equations (4.3) show that when  $c(\bar{\alpha}) + c(\bar{\beta}) = 0$ , there appears a harm for determining  $c(\bar{\alpha} + \bar{\beta})$  from given  $c(\bar{\alpha})$  and  $c(\bar{\beta})$ . Nevertheless, it is easy to derive from equations (4.2) that

(\*) If  $c(\bar{\alpha}) + c(\bar{\beta}) = 0$  then necessarily  $c(\bar{\alpha}) = \pm K$ ,  $c(\bar{\beta}) = \mp K$ .

So it is naturally to consider the quasiroots  $\bar{\alpha}$  where  $c(\bar{\alpha})$  are equal to  $\pm K$  or not separately.

Let  $c(\bar{\alpha})$ ,  $\bar{\alpha} \in \bar{\Omega}_\Gamma$ , be a solution of equations (4.2) (we assume  $c(-\bar{\alpha}) = -c(\bar{\alpha})$ ). It is easy to derive from equations (4.2) the following properties.

(\*\*) If  $c(\bar{\alpha}) = \pm K$  and  $c(\bar{\beta}) \neq \pm K$ , then  $c(\bar{\alpha} + \bar{\beta}) = \pm K$  and  $c(\bar{\alpha} - \bar{\beta}) = \pm K$ ;

(\*\*\*) If  $c(\bar{\alpha}) = \pm K$  and  $c(\bar{\beta}) = \pm K$ , then  $c(\bar{\alpha} + \bar{\beta}) = \pm K$ .

Let  $\bar{\Omega}'_\Gamma \subset \bar{\Omega}_\Gamma$  be the subset of quasiroots  $\bar{\alpha}$  such that  $c(\bar{\alpha}) \neq \pm K$ . From (\*\*) follows that  $\bar{\Omega}'_\Gamma$  is a linear subset, i.e.,  $\bar{\Omega}'_\Gamma = \bar{\Omega}_\Gamma \cap \text{span}(\bar{\Omega}'_\Gamma)$ , where  $\text{span}(\bar{\Omega}'_\Gamma)$  is the vector subspace of  $\mathfrak{h}^*/\mathfrak{h}_\Gamma^*$  generated by  $\bar{\Omega}'_\Gamma$ . Let  $(\bar{\alpha}_1, \dots, \bar{\alpha}_k)$  be a  $k$ -tuple of elements from  $\bar{\Omega}'_\Gamma$  that form a basis of  $\text{span}(\bar{\Omega}'_\Gamma)$ . Since by (\*)  $c(\bar{\alpha}) + c(\bar{\beta}) \neq 0$  for any  $\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\beta} \in \bar{\Omega}'_\Gamma$ , all  $c(\bar{\alpha})$ ,  $\bar{\alpha} \in \bar{\Omega}'_\Gamma$ , can be found from (4.3) using the initial values  $c_i = c(\bar{\alpha}_i)$ , as in Proposition 4.3.

Note that since  $c_i \neq \pm K$ , there are uniquely defined complex numbers  $\lambda_i \neq 0, 1$  such that  $c(\bar{\alpha}_i) = c_i = K\psi(\lambda_i)$ , where

$$\psi(x) = \frac{x+1}{x-1}.$$



Using the formula

$$\psi(xy) = \frac{\psi(x)\psi(y) + 1}{\psi(x) + \psi(y)},$$

it is easy to derive that if  $\lambda : \overline{\Omega}'_\Gamma \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^*$  is the multiplicative map (such that if  $\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\beta}, \bar{\alpha} + \bar{\beta} \in \overline{\Omega}'_\Gamma$  then  $\lambda(\bar{\alpha} + \bar{\beta}) = \lambda(\bar{\alpha})\lambda(\bar{\beta})$ ) defined by  $c(\bar{\alpha}_i) = \lambda_i$ , then the solution of (4.3) is given by the formula

$$c(\bar{\alpha}) = K\psi(\lambda(\bar{\alpha})), \quad \bar{\alpha} \in \overline{\Omega}'_\Gamma. \quad (4.5)$$

For correctness of this formula, one needs that the map  $\lambda$  to be regular, i.e., that  $\lambda$  to satisfy the condition: if  $\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\beta}, \bar{\alpha} + \bar{\beta} \in \overline{\Omega}'_\Gamma$  then  $\lambda(\bar{\alpha})\lambda(\bar{\beta}) = 1$  only when  $\bar{\alpha} = -\bar{\beta}$ .

From property (\*\*) follows that the numbers  $c(\bar{\alpha})$  define a function on the set  $\pi(\overline{\Omega}_\Gamma)$ , where  $\pi$  is the natural map  $\mathfrak{h}^*/\mathfrak{h}_\Gamma^* \rightarrow (\mathfrak{h}^*/\mathfrak{h}_\Gamma^*)/\text{span}(\overline{\Omega}'_\Gamma)$ . This function has values  $\pm K$ . Let  $X \subset \pi(\overline{\Omega}_\Gamma)$  be the subset where this function has value  $K$ . From property (\*\*\*) follows that  $X$  is a semilinear subset. It means that if  $x_1, x_2 \in X$  and  $x_1 + x_2 \in \pi(\overline{\Omega}_\Gamma)$  then  $x_1 + x_2 \in X$ , and  $X \cap (-X) = \emptyset$ ,  $X \cup (-X) = \pi(\overline{\Omega}_\Gamma)$ .

The arguments above lead to the following description of the variety  $\mathcal{Z}_K$  of all solutions of (4.2) (or, what is the same, the variety of invariant brackets  $f$  on  $M$  such that  $\llbracket f, f \rrbracket = K^2\varphi_M$ ).

**Proposition 4.4.** *Variety  $\mathcal{Z}_K$  splits into stratas. Each strata is defined by choosing a linear subset  $\overline{\Omega}'_\Gamma$  of  $\overline{\Omega}_\Gamma$  and a semilinear subset  $X$  of  $\pi(\overline{\Omega}_\Gamma)$ . Points of this strata are parameterized by the multiplicative regular maps  $\lambda : \overline{\Omega}'_\Gamma \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^*$ .*

*Let the data  $(\overline{\Omega}'_\Gamma, X, \lambda)$  corresponds to a point of  $\mathcal{Z}_K$ . Then the coefficients  $c(\bar{\alpha})$  of  $f$  are determined in the following way. If  $\bar{\alpha} \in \overline{\Omega}'_\Gamma$  then  $c(\bar{\alpha})$  is found by (4.5). If  $\pi(\bar{\alpha}) \in X$  then  $c(\bar{\alpha}) = K$ . If  $\pi(\bar{\alpha}) \in -X$  then  $c(\bar{\alpha}) = -K$ .*

Of course, in case  $K = 0$  the choose of  $X$  does not matter: a strata of  $\mathcal{Z}_0$  is determined only by choosing  $\overline{\Omega}'_\Gamma$ .

Note also that the description of  $\mathcal{Z}_K$  given in the proposition does not depend on choosing a basis in  $\overline{\Omega}_\Gamma$ . The variety  $\mathcal{X}_K$  from the previous remark forms an open everywhere dense subset of  $\mathcal{Z}_K$  and does depend on choosing a basis. According to Remark 2.1 this proposition describes all the  $(G, \tilde{r})$ -Poisson structures on semisimple orbits.

Now we fix a Poisson bracket  $s = \sum (1/\lambda(\bar{\alpha}))E_\alpha \wedge E_{-\alpha}$ , where  $\lambda$  is a fixed linear form, and describe the invariant brackets  $f = \sum c(\bar{\alpha})E_\alpha \wedge E_{-\alpha}$  which satisfy the conditions

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket f, f \rrbracket &= K^2\varphi_M & \text{for } K \neq 0, \\ \llbracket f, s \rrbracket &= 0. \end{aligned} \quad (4.6)$$

Direct computation shows that the condition  $\llbracket f, s \rrbracket = 0$  is equivalent to the system of equations for the coefficients  $c(\bar{\alpha})$  of  $f$

$$c(\bar{\alpha})\lambda(\bar{\alpha})^2 + c(\bar{\beta})\lambda(\bar{\beta})^2 = c(\bar{\alpha} + \bar{\beta})\lambda(\bar{\alpha} + \bar{\beta})^2 \quad (4.7)$$

for all the pairs of positive quasiroots  $\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\beta}$  such that  $\bar{\alpha} + \bar{\beta}$  is a quasiroot.

**Definition 4.1.** Let  $M$  be an orbit in  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  (not necessarily semisimple). We call  $M$  a *good* orbit, if there exists an invariant bracket,  $f$ , on  $M$  satisfying the conditions (4.6) for  $s$  the Kirillov-Kostant-Souriau (KKS) Poisson bracket on  $M$ .

So, a semisimple orbit  $M$  is a good orbit if and only if equations (4.2) and (4.7) are compatible, i.e., have a common solution.

**Proposition 4.5.** *The good semisimple orbits are the following:*

- a) For  $\mathfrak{g}$  of type  $A_n$  all semisimple orbits are good.
- b) For all other  $\mathfrak{g}$ , the orbit  $M$  is good if and only if the set  $\Pi \setminus \Gamma$  consists of one or two roots which appear in representation of the maximal root with coefficient 1.
- c) The brackets  $f$  on good orbits form a one-dimensional variety: all such brackets have the form

$$\pm f_0 + ts,$$

where  $t \in \mathbb{C}$  and  $f_0$  is a fixed bracket satisfying (4.6).

*Proof.* See [DGS]. □

**Remark 4.3.** From Proposition (3.5) follows that for  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{sl}(n)$  all orbits (not only semisimple) are good ones. In addition, if an orbit,  $M$ , is such that  $\varphi_M = 0$ , then  $M$  is good: one can take  $f = 0$ . In [GP] there is a classification of orbits for all simple  $\mathfrak{g}$ , for which  $\varphi_M = 0$ .

**Question 4.1.** Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be a simple Lie algebra. Are all orbits in  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  good? If not, what is a classification of good orbits?

## 4.2 Cohomologies defined by invariant brackets

In the next subsection we prove the existence of a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of the Poisson brackets described above using the methods of [DS1]. This requires us to consider the 3-cohomology of the complex  $(\Lambda^\bullet(\mathfrak{g}/\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma))^{\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma} = (\Lambda^\bullet \mathfrak{m})^{\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma}$  of  $\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma$  invariants with differential given by the Schouten bracket with the bivector  $f \in (\Lambda^2 \mathfrak{m})^{\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma}$  from Proposition 4.3 a),

$$\delta_f : u \mapsto \llbracket f, u \rrbracket \quad \text{for } u \in (\Lambda^\bullet \mathfrak{m})^{\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma}.$$

The condition  $\delta_f^2 = 0$  follows from the Jacobi identity for the Schouten bracket together with the fact that  $\llbracket f, f \rrbracket = K^2 \varphi_M$ . Denote these cohomologies by  $H^k(M, \delta_f)$ , whereas the usual de Rham cohomologies are denoted by  $H^k(M)$ .

Recall (see Remark 4.1) that the brackets  $f$  satisfying  $\llbracket f, f \rrbracket = K^2 \varphi$  form a connected variety  $\mathcal{X}$  which contains a submanifold  $\mathcal{X}_0$  of Poisson brackets.

**Proposition 4.6.** *For almost all  $f \in \mathcal{X}$  (except an algebraic subset of lesser dimension) one has*

$$H^k(M, \delta_f) = H^k(M)$$

for all  $k$ . In particular,  $H^k(M, \delta_f) = 0$  for odd  $k$ .

*Proof.* First, let  $v$  be a Poisson bracket, i.e.,  $v \in \mathcal{X}_0$ . Then the complex of polyvector fields on  $M$ ,  $\Theta^\bullet$ , with the differential  $\delta_v$  is well defined. Denote by  $\Omega^\bullet$  the de Rham complex on  $M$ . Since none of the coefficients  $c(\bar{\alpha})$  of  $v$  are zero,  $v$  is a nondegenerate bivector field, and therefore it defines an  $\mathcal{A}$ -linear isomorphism  $\tilde{v} : \Omega^1 \rightarrow \Theta^1$ ,  $\omega \mapsto v(\omega, \cdot)$ , which can be extended up to the isomorphism  $\tilde{v} : \Omega^k \rightarrow \Theta^k$  of  $k$ -forms onto  $k$ -vector fields for all  $k$ . Using Jacobi identity for  $v$  and invariance of  $v$ , one can show that  $\tilde{v}$  gives a  $G$  invariant isomorphism of these complexes, so their cohomologies are the same.

Since  $\mathfrak{g}$  is simple, the subcomplex of  $\mathfrak{g}$  invariants,  $(\Omega^\bullet)^\mathfrak{g}$ , splits off as a subcomplex of  $\Omega^\bullet$ . In addition,  $\mathfrak{g}$  acts trivially on cohomologies, since for any  $g \in G$  the map  $M \rightarrow M$ ,  $x \mapsto gx$ , is homotopic to the identity map, ( $G$  is a connected Lie group corresponding to  $\mathfrak{g}$ ). It follows that cohomologies of complexes  $(\Omega^\bullet)^\mathfrak{g}$  and  $\Omega^\bullet$  coincide.

But  $\tilde{v}$  gives an isomorphism of complexes  $(\Omega^\bullet)^\mathfrak{g}$  and  $(\Theta^\bullet)^\mathfrak{g} = ((\Lambda^\bullet \mathfrak{m})^{\mathfrak{gr}}, \delta_v)$ . So, cohomologies of the latter complex coincide with de Rham cohomologies, which proves the proposition for  $v$  being Poisson brackets.

Now, consider the family of complexes  $((\Lambda^\bullet \mathfrak{m})^{\mathfrak{gr}}, \delta_v)$ ,  $v \in \mathcal{X}$ . It is clear that  $\delta_v$  depends algebraically on  $v$ . It follows from the uppersemicontinuity of  $\dim H^k(M, \delta_v)$  and the fact that  $H^k(M) = 0$  for odd  $k$ , [Bo], that  $H^k(M, \delta_v) = 0$  for odd  $k$  and almost all  $v \in \mathcal{X}$ . Using the uppersemicontinuity again and the fact that the number  $\sum_k (-1)^k \dim H^k(M, \delta_v)$  is the same for all  $v \in \mathcal{X}$ , we conclude that  $\dim H^k(M, \delta_v) = \dim H^k(M)$  for even  $k$  and almost all  $v$ .  $\square$

**Remark 4.4.** Call  $f \in \mathcal{X}$  admissible, if it satisfies Proposition 4.6. From the proof of the proposition follows that the subset  $\mathcal{D}$  such that  $\mathcal{X} \setminus \mathcal{D}$  consists of admissible brackets does not intersect with the subset  $\mathcal{X}_0$  consisting of Poisson brackets. It follows from this fact that for each good orbit there are admissible  $f$  compatible with the KKS bracket. Indeed, let  $M$  be a good orbit and  $f_0 + ts$  the family from Proposition 4.5 c) satisfying (4.6) for a fixed  $K$ . Then for almost all numbers  $t$  this bracket is admissible. In fact, this family is contained in the two parameter family  $uf_0 + ts$ . By  $u = 0$ ,  $t \neq 0$  we obtain admissible brackets. So, there exist  $u_0 \neq 0$  and  $t_0$  such that the bracket  $u_0 f_0 + t_0 s$  is admissible. It follows that the bracket  $f_0 + (t_0/u_0)s$  is admissible, too. So, in the family  $f_0 + ts$  there is an admissible bracket, and we conclude that almost all brackets in this family (except a finitely many) are admissible.

For the proof of existence of two parameter quantization for the cases  $D_n$  and  $E_6$  in the next subsection, we will use the following result on invariant three-vector fields.

Denote by  $\theta$  the Cartan automorphism of  $\mathfrak{g}$ .

**Lemma 4.1.** *For either  $D_n$  or  $E_6$  and one of the subsets,  $\Gamma$ , of simple roots such that  $G_\Gamma$  defines a good orbit, any  $\mathfrak{g}_\Gamma$  and  $\theta$  invariant element  $v$  in  $\Lambda^3 \mathfrak{m}$  is a multiple of  $\varphi_M$ , that is,*

$$(\Lambda^3(\mathfrak{m}))^{\mathfrak{gr}} \cong \langle \varphi_M \rangle.$$

*Proof.* In this case the system of positive quasiroots consists of  $\bar{\alpha}$ ,  $\bar{\beta}$ , and  $\bar{\alpha} + \bar{\beta}$ , where  $\bar{\alpha}$ ,  $\bar{\beta}$  are the simple quasiroots. From Proposition 4.1 follows that invariant elements in  $\mathfrak{m}_{\bar{\alpha}} \otimes \mathfrak{m}_{\bar{\beta}} \otimes \mathfrak{m}_{-\bar{\alpha}-\bar{\beta}}$  and  $\mathfrak{m}_{-\bar{\alpha}} \otimes \mathfrak{m}_{-\bar{\beta}} \otimes \mathfrak{m}_{\bar{\alpha}+\bar{\beta}}$  form subspaces of dimension one,  $I_1$  and  $I_2$ . Moreover, all the invariant elements of  $\Lambda^3 \mathfrak{m}$  are lying in  $I_1 + I_2$ . Since  $\theta$  takes  $I_1$  onto  $I_2$ ,

there is only one-dimensional  $\theta$  invariant subspace in  $I_1 + I_2$ , which is necessarily generated by  $\varphi_M$ .  $\square$

### 4.3 $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$ invariant quantizations in one and two parameters

In this subsection we prove the existence of one and two parameter  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization of the function algebras  $\mathcal{A}$  on semisimple orbits,  $M$ , in  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ . By Proposition 2.2, the one parameter quantization has the Poisson bracket of the form

$$f(a, b) - \{a, b\}_r, \quad \llbracket f, f \rrbracket = -\varphi_M. \quad (4.8)$$

We show that the one parameter quantization exists for all semisimple orbits and all  $f$  constructed in Proposition 4.3 a) and satisfying Proposition 4.6.

For two parameter quantization, there are two compatible Poisson brackets: the KKS bracket  $s$  and the bracket of the form (4.8) with the additional condition

$$\llbracket f, s \rrbracket = 0. \quad (4.9)$$

We show that the two parameter quantization exists for good orbits in cases  $D_n$  and  $E_6$  and for almost all  $f$  satisfying (4.8) and (4.9).

Note that in subsection 3.5 we have proven that in case  $A_n$  the two parameter quantization exists for maximal semisimple orbits. In a next paper we shall prove the same for all semisimple orbits.

We remind the reader of the method in [DS1]. The first step is to construct a  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization in the category  $\mathcal{C}(U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]], \Delta, \Phi_h)$ . Then we use the equivalence given by the pair  $(\text{Id}, F_h)$  between the monoidal categories  $\mathcal{C}(U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]], \Delta, \Phi_h)$  and  $\mathcal{C}(U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]], \Delta_h, \mathbf{1})$  to define a  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant quantization, either  $\mu_h F_h^{-1}$  in the one parameter case or  $\mu_{t,h} F_h^{-1}$  in the two parameter case (see Subsections 2.2 and 2.3). In the following we often write  $\Phi$  for  $\Phi_h$ .

**Proposition 4.7.** *Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be a simple Lie algebra,  $M$  a semisimple orbit in  $\mathfrak{g}^*$ . Then, for almost all (in sense of Proposition 4.6)  $\mathfrak{g}$  invariant brackets  $f$  satisfying  $\llbracket f, f \rrbracket = -\varphi_M$ , there exists a multiplication  $\mu_h$  on  $\mathcal{A}$*

$$\mu_h(a, b) = ab + (h/2)f(a, b) + \sum_{n \geq 2} h^n \mu_n(a, b)$$

which is  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant (equation 2.12)) and  $\Phi$  associative (equation (2.13)).

*Proof.* To begin, consider the multiplication  $\mu^{(1)}(a, b) = ab + (h/2)f(a, b)$ . The corresponding obstruction cocycle is given by

$$obs_2 = \frac{1}{h^2}(\mu^{(1)}(\mu^{(1)} \otimes id) - \mu^{(1)}(id \otimes \mu^{(1)})\Phi)$$

considered modulo terms of order  $h$ . No  $\frac{1}{h}$  terms appear because  $f$  is a biderivation and, therefore, a Hochschild cocycle. The fact that the presence of  $\Phi$  does not interfere with the cocycle condition and that this equation defines a Hochschild 3-cocycle was proven in [DS1].

It is well known that if we restrict to the subcomplex of cochains given by differential operators, the differential Hochschild cohomology of  $\mathcal{A}$  in dimension  $p$  is the space of  $p$ -polyvector fields on  $M$ . Since  $\mathfrak{g}$  is reductive, the subspace of  $\mathfrak{g}$  invariants splits off as a subcomplex and has cohomology given by  $(\Lambda^p \mathfrak{m})^{\mathfrak{gr}}$ . The complete antisymmetrization of a  $p$ -tensor projects the space of invariant differential  $p$ -cocycles onto the subspace  $(\Lambda^p \mathfrak{m})^{\mathfrak{gr}}$  representing the cohomology. The equation  $\llbracket f, f \rrbracket + \varphi_M = 0$  implies that obstruction cocycle is a coboundary, and we can find a 2-cochain  $\mu_2$ , so that  $\mu^{(2)} = \mu^{(1)} + h^2 \mu_2$  satisfies

$$\mu^{(2)}(\mu^{(2)} \otimes id) - \mu^{(2)}(id \otimes \mu^{(2)})\Phi = 0 \mod h^2.$$

Assume we have defined the deformation  $\mu^{(n)}$  to order  $h^n$  such that  $\Phi$  associativity holds modulo  $h^n$ , then we define the  $(n+1)^{\text{st}}$  obstruction cocycle by

$$obs_{n+1} = \frac{1}{h^{n+1}}(\mu^{(n)}(\mu^{(n)} \otimes id) - \mu^{(n)}(id \otimes \mu^{(n)})\Phi) \mod h.$$

In [DS1] (Proposition 4) we showed that the usual proof that the obstruction cochain satisfies the cocycle condition carries through to the  $\Phi$  associative case. The coboundary of  $obs_{n+1}$  appears as the  $h^{n+1}$  coefficient of the signed sum of the compositions of  $\mu^{(n+1)}$  with  $obs_{n+1}$ . The fact that  $\Phi = 1 \mod h^2$  together with the pentagon identity implies that the sum vanishes identically, and thus all coefficients vanish, including the coboundary in question. Let  $obs'_{n+1} \in (\Lambda^3 \mathfrak{m})^{\mathfrak{gr}}$  be the projection of  $obs_{n+1}$  on the totally skew symmetric part, which represents the cohomology class of the obstruction cocycle. The coefficient of  $h^{n+2}$  in the same signed sum, when projected on the skew symmetric part, is  $\llbracket f, obs'_{n+1} \rrbracket$  which is the coboundary of  $obs'_{n+1}$  in the complex  $(\Lambda^\bullet \mathfrak{m})^{\mathfrak{gr}}, \delta_f = \llbracket f, \cdot \rrbracket$ . Thus  $obs'_{n+1}$  is a  $\delta_f$  cocycle. By Proposition 4.6, this complex has zero cohomology. Now we modify  $\mu^{(n+1)}$  by adding a term  $h^n \mu_n$  with  $\mu_n \in (\Lambda^2 \mathfrak{m})^{\mathfrak{gr}}$  and consider the  $(n+1)^{\text{st}}$  obstruction cocycle for  $\mu'^{(n+1)} = \mu^{(n+1)} + h^n \mu_n$ . Since the term we added at degree  $h^n$  is a Hochschild cocycle, we do not introduce a  $h^n$  term in the calculation of  $\mu^{(n)}(\mu^{(n)} \otimes id) - \mu^{(n)}(id \otimes \mu^{(n)})\Phi$  and the totally skew symmetric projection  $h^{n+1}$  term has been modified by  $\llbracket f, \mu_n \rrbracket$ . By choosing  $\mu_n$  appropriately, we can make the  $(n+1)^{\text{st}}$  obstruction cocycle represent the zero cohomology class, and we are able to continue the recursive construction of the desired deformation.  $\square$

Now we prove the existence of a two parameter deformation for good orbits in the cases  $D_n$  and  $E_6$ .

**Proposition 4.8.** *Given a pair of  $\mathfrak{g}$  invariant brackets,  $f, v$ , on a good orbit in  $D_n$  or  $E_6$  satisfying  $\llbracket f, f \rrbracket = -\varphi_M$ ,  $\llbracket f, v \rrbracket = \llbracket v, v \rrbracket = 0$ , there exists a multiplication  $\mu_{h,t}$  on  $\mathcal{A}$*

$$\mu_{t,h}(a, b) = ab + (h/2)f(a, b) + (t/2)v(a, b) + \sum_{k,l \geq 1} h^k t^l \mu_{k,l}(a, b)$$

*which is  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant and  $\Phi$  associative.*

*Proof.* The existence of a multiplication which is  $\Phi$  associative up to and including  $h^2$  terms is nearly identical to the previous proof. Both  $f$  and  $v$  are anti-invariant under the Cartan involution  $\theta$ . We shall look for a multiplication  $\mu_{t,h}$  such that  $\mu_{k,l}$  is  $\theta$  anti-invariant and skew-symmetric for odd  $k+l$  and  $\theta$  invariant and symmetric for even  $k+l$ .

So, suppose we have a multiplication defined to order  $n$ ,

$$\mu_{t,h}(a, b) = ab + h\mu_1(a, b) + t\mu'_1(a, b) + \sum_{k+l \leq n} h^k t^l \mu_{k,l}(a, b),$$

with mentioned above invariance properties and  $\Phi$  associative to order  $h^n$ .

Further we shall suppose that  $\Phi$  has the properties: It is invariant under the Cartan involution  $\theta$  and  $\Phi^{-1} = \Phi_{321}$ . Such  $\Phi$  always can be choosen, [DS2]. Using these properties for  $\Phi$ , direct computation shows that the obstruction cochain,

$$obs_{n+1} = \sum_{k=0, \dots, n+1} h^k t^{n+1-k} \beta_k,$$

has the following invariance properties: For odd  $n$ ,  $obs_{n+1}$  is  $\theta$  invariant and  $obs_{n+1}(a, b, c) = -obs_{n+1}(c, b, a)$ , and for even  $n$ , and  $obs_{n+1}$  is  $\theta$  anti-invariant and  $obs_{n+1}(a, b, c) = obs_{n+1}(c, b, a)$ .

Hence, the projection of  $obs_{n+1}$  on  $(\Lambda^3 \mathfrak{m})^{\mathfrak{gr}}$  is equal to zero for even  $n$ . It follows that all the  $\beta_k$  are Hochschild coboundaries, and the standard argument implies that the multiplication can be extended up to order  $n+1$  with the required properties.

For odd  $n$ , Lemma 4.1 shows that the projection on  $(\Lambda^3 \mathfrak{m})^{\mathfrak{gr}}$  has the form

$$obs_{n+1} = \left( \sum_{k=0, \dots, n+1} a_k h^k t^{n+1-k} \right) \varphi_M.$$

The KKS bracket is given by the two-vector

$$v = \sum_{\alpha \in \Omega^+ \setminus \Omega_\Gamma} \frac{1}{\lambda(\bar{\alpha})} E_\alpha \wedge E_{-\alpha}.$$

Setting

$$w = \sum_{\alpha \in \Omega^+ \setminus \Omega_\Gamma} \lambda(\bar{\alpha}) E_\alpha \wedge E_{-\alpha},$$

gives

$$[v, w] = -3\varphi_M.$$

Defining

$$\mu'^{(n)} = \mu^{(n)} + \frac{a_0}{3} t^n w,$$

the new obstruction cohomology class is

$$obs'_{n+1} = \left( \sum_{k=1, \dots, n+1} a_k h^k t^{n+1-k} \right) \varphi_M.$$

Finally we define

$$\mu''^{(n)} = \mu'^{(n)} + \sum_{k=1, \dots, n+1} a_k h^{k-1} t^{n+1-k} f$$

and get an obstruction cocycle which is zero in cohomology. Now the standard argument implies that the deformation can be extended to give a  $\Phi$  associative invariant multiplication with the required properties of order  $n+1$ .

So, we are able to continue the recursive construction of the desired multiplication.  $\square$

Using the  $\Phi_h$  associative multiplications  $\mu_h$  and  $\mu_{t,h}$  from Propositions 4.7 and 4.8 and the equivalence between the monoidal categories  $\mathcal{C}(U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]], \Delta, \Phi_h)$  and  $\mathcal{C}(U(\mathfrak{g})[[h]], \tilde{\Delta}, \mathbf{1})$  given by the pair  $(\text{Id}, F_h)$  (see Section 2), one can define  $U_h(\mathfrak{g})$  invariant multiplications, either  $\mu_h F_h^{-1}$  in the one parameter case or  $\mu_{t,h} F_h^{-1}$  in the two parameter case.

**Remark 4.5.** After [Ko], the philosophy is that there are no obstructions for quantizations of Poisson brackets on manifolds. In this connection, the following question arises:

**Question 4.2.** Let  $M$  be a  $G$ -manifold on which there exists an invariant connection. Given a  $G$  invariant Poisson bracket,  $v$ , on  $M$ , does there exist a  $G$  invariant quantization of  $v$ ?

In case  $M$  is a homogeneous manifold the bracket  $v$  has a constant rank, and such a quantization can be obtained by Fedosov's method, [Fed], [Do1].

Another question which relates to the topic of this paper is the following.

**Question 4.3.** Let  $M$  be a  $G$ -manifold on which there exists an invariant connection,  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  the corresponding to  $G$  universal enveloping algebra, and  $\Phi_h \in (U(\mathfrak{g}))^{\otimes 3}[[h]]$  an invariant element of the form (2.6) obeying the pentagon identity (2.7). Let  $f$  be an invariant bracket on  $M$  satisfying  $\llbracket f, f \rrbracket = -\varphi_M$ . Does there exist a  $U(\mathfrak{g})$  (or  $G$ ) invariant and  $\Phi_h$  associative quantization of  $f$  (as in Proposition 4.7)?

Note that if the answer to this Question is positive, then the answer to Question 2.1 is also positive: we take for  $M$  the group  $G$  itself and consider it as a  $G$ -manifold by left multiplication.

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